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WORTHIES.—“Our County, as the Curious observe, is the epitome of England; whatsoever is excellent in the whole land being to be found in proportion thereto. . . . Besides, God hath been pleased to make it the birthplace and nursery of many great men.”—*Dr. George Hickes’ Sermon at the Yorkshire Feast, London, 1682.*

Alured of the Charterhouse, Co. York.

The family of Alured, of the Charterhouse, in Kingston-upon-Hull, is best known by reason of the prominent part taken in the Civil War, by the two brothers—Colonels John and Matthew Alured, the former of whom was one of the Members of the Long Parliament, and signed the Warrant for the execution of King Charles I. The genealogy of the family has, I believe, never been worked out; almost the only information upon the name—at all events in print—being the Pedigree in Mr. Joseph Foster’s admirable collection of the *Visitations of Yorkshire*. I have from time to time collected various memoranda about the name, which I now venture to send to *Yorkshire Notes and Queries*, in the hope that some of your numerous Yorkshire genealogists may be induced to aid in making the same more complete.

I cannot do better, perhaps, than ask you to re-produce the Pedigree contained in *Foster’s Visitations*, with such additions as the evidences hereafter given seem clearly to support.

ROGER ALURED, als. ALRED, of Tannington, Co. Suffolk, “of good antiquite,” married *Cicely*, dau. of *William Latimer*, of Freeston, Co. Suffolk, and had issue:—

- | | |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
| 1 Thomas Alured, | 4 William Alured, |
| 2 Roger Alured, | 5 Grace, |
| 3 Christopher Alured, | 6 Cecily. |

THOMAS ALDRED (OF ALURED), “of ye Charterhouse, near Hull,” Esq., eldest son, married Ellinor dau. and co-heir of *Ralph Constable*, by his wife Joane, dau. and co-heir of *Ezekias Clifton*. (He was second son of *Sir John Constable*, of Halsham, by his wife the dau. of *Sir Thomas Metham*.)

[Thomas Alred, gent., was M.P. for Kingston-upon-Hull, in 1557-8, and Mayor of the same place in 1561. He is said to have built and lived in a house in White Friar Gate, Hull, which was afterwards occupied by his grandson—Thomas Alured.]

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This issue by *Ellinor Constable*:—

- 1 John Alured, his heir.
- 2 Thomas Alured, Customer of Kingston-upon-Hull.
- 3 Ann (or Grace), mar. George, son of Christopher Twistle-ton, of Barley.

JOHN ALURED (or ALURED), of the Charterhouse, near Kingston-upon-Hull, Esq., eldest son. Living anno 1584; ob. 9 James I. [This date is incorrect. He signed the Visitation of 1584, was M.P. for Kingston-upon-Hull in the Parliaments of 1584-5 and 1586-7, and was buried at Sculcoates—3 April, 1606.] He married *Frances*, second dau. of *Sir Francis Gates*, of Seymer, Knt., and had issue—

- 1 Henry Alured, his heir.
- 2 John Alured. [Entered Gray's Inn, 9 Nov., 1601. Died, apparently, before 1638.]
- 3 Thomas Alured. [Entered Gray's Inn, 1 May, 1604, M.P. for Heydon, 1628-9. Married, but left no issue. Died, May, 1638. Buried in St. Anne's, Blackfriars, London. Will, dated 2 May, 1638; "of Blackfryers, London, gent." Proved in P.C.C., 30 May, 1638, by his nephew, John Alured, sole Exor., Commission to administer goods unadministered, &c., by Exor. dated 1 Aug., 1668, to John Alured his "Cousin and next of kin." Further grant, 16 Nov., 1668, to Matthew Alured, "the nephew by the brother and next of kin."]
- 4 Lancelot Alured. [Living, and named in the Will of his brother, Thomas Alured, in 1638. *Marr. Lic.* dated 1624, between Lancelot Alured, gent., and Lady Grace Davile, widow, of Filey: to marry at Filey. ? if not the "Lieut. Col. Launce Alured" in Col. Cholmley's Regt., an active officer on the Parliament side, and sometimes said to be a "brother" of Cols. John and Matthew Alured.—Vide *Army Lists of Roundheads and Cavaliers*, 1642.]
- 5 Benjamin Alured. [Dead, apparently, before 1638.]
- 6 Lucy, married Francis Darley of Kilnhurst. [Her son, "my cousin Henry Darlie," is named in the will of Thomas Alured, of Blackfriars, who also mentions "my sister Lucy Harris," so that she must have married a second time before 1638.]

HENRY ALURED (or ALURED), of Charterhouse, near Hull, Esq., eldest son, Oct. 3, anno 1584. Living in 1612. [He entered Gray's Inn, 9 Nov., 1601, and was buried in Holy Trinity Church, Kingston-upon-Hull, 14 April, 1628.] Married *Frances*, dau. of *Francis Vaughan*, of Sutton-upon-Derwent, Esq. [*Marr. Lic.* dated 1603. She was buried at Sculcoates, 22 June, 1626.]

They had issue, born before the Visitation of 1612—

- 1 John Alured, his heir, Oct. 5, anno 1612.
- 2 Thomas Alured. [Bapt. at Sculcoates, 1 Sept., 1608.]
- 3 Christopher Alured, [Bapt. at Sculcoates, 27 Jan., 1609.
Buried there 15 May, 1623.]
- 4 George Alured. Bapt. at Sculcoates, 4 Aug., 1612.]
- 5 Ann. [Mar. Robert Johnson, Clerk; *Mar. Lic.* dated 1628.
- 6 Ellinor. [Bapt. at Sculcoates, April, 1611. Buried there
3 Dec., 1624.]
- 7 Averill. [Named in the Will of her Uncle Thomas Alured,
as the wife of ——— Clare.]

Thus much for the Pedigree in the Visitation of 1612. The following later particulars of the family have been obtained with more or less completion.

In addition to the foregoing issue of Henry and Frances Alured, there were at least the following, born after 1612.

- 8 William Alured, son of Henry Alured, Esq. Bapt. at Sculcoates, in Sept., 1621.
- 9 Matthew Alured. His baptism has not been found, but we know him to have been brother of John Alured, the Regicide. He is described in a Commission of Admon. to goods of his uncle Thomas Alured, of Blackfriars, dated 16 Nov., 1668, as "Matthew Alured, the nephew by the brother and next of kin." (See below for his marriage and issue.)
- 10 Elizabeth, dau. of Henry Alured, Esq. Buried at Sculcoates, Sept. 1624.
- 11 Sarah, named in the Will of her Uncle Thomas Alured, as "my brother's youngest daughter."

JOHN ALURED, of Charterhouse, Hull, Esq., eldest son of Henry and Frances Alured; the celebrated "Col. Alured, the Regicide." He was bapt. at Preston, 4 April, 1607. Entered as a Student at Grays Inn, 11 Aug., 1628. Sat as M.P. for Heydon in the short Parliament of 1640, and in the Long Parliament of 1640-53. Was first a Captain of Horse under the Earl of Bedford, and afterwards a Colonel in the Parliamentary Army; one of the King's Judges, and signed the Warrant for the Execution. Died in 1659, shortly before the Restoration, nevertheless, his name was put in the Act of Attainder that his property might be forfeited. He married (vide Foster's *Collectanea Genealogica*, Pt. iii.) first, at Bossall, 17 Novr., 1631, *Mary*, dau. of *Richard Darley*, of Buttercrambe; and secondly, *Mary Arnold*, of London. By his first wife he is said to have left two sons:—

- 1 John Alured, his heir, (see below.)
- 2 Thomas Alured, second son. Admitted to Grays Inn, 13 July, 1655. Called to the Bar 25 May, 1666. Ancient

26 Nov., 1680. Recorder of Beverley, 1688-1700. He is named in the will of his cousin Dorothy Alured, daughter of Matthew, in 1673.

But he also had at least two other children, by his first or second marriage, namely—

3 Mary, daughter of John Alured, Esq. Bapt. at Sculcoates, 15 Oct., 1639.

4 Benjamin Alured, son of John Alured, Esq. Bapt. at the Chapel of the Charter House, 22 Sept., 1640. Buried at Sculcoates, 29 Jan., 1640. (? 1640-1).

MATTHEW ALURED, youngest son of Henry and Frances Alured, and brother of the foregoing John Alured, the Regicide. He was born after 1612, and probably circa 1620-24. Described in 1642 as of Sculcoates, Co. York, and afterwards of Beverley, Co. York. Was a Colonel of Foot in the Army of the Commonwealth, Commander-in-Chief of the Forces designed for the Islands of Moola and Skey, in or neere Scotland, 1650. (Vide Add. MSS. 25347, F. 11.) M.P. for Heydon in the Parliament called by Richard Cromwell, in 1658-9. Administrator of the goods, &c., not administered of his uncle—Thomas Alured, of Blackfriars, Nov., 1668. Sole Executor to the Will of his daughter Dorothy Alured in 1673. Was still living and party to a bond, in Nov. 1691.

He married in 1642, *Catherine*, dau. and heir of *Thomas Stephenson*, and widow of ——— *Nelthorp*, of Walkington. (Mar. Lic. dated 1642: to marry at either Sculcoates or Walkington.) They had issue—

1 Dorothy. Inherited from her grandmother, Mrs. Dorothy Ridmaine, a house, &c., in Beverley, which she bequeathed to her father for life, and then to her nephew, Matthew Popple. Will dated 15 Oct., 1673, in which she is described as Dorothy Alured, of Beverley, Co. York, Spinster; appoints her father Sole Executor. Date of probate not given.

2 Mary. Mar. William Popple, of Hull, merchant. Mar. Lic. dated 1663; he, aged 25; she described as of Walkingham, Spinster, aged 25: to marry at Walkingham, or St. Mary's, Hull. Their son, Matthew Popple, under age in 1673—was, after the decease of his grandfather, Matthew Alured, the heir of his aunt Dorothy, as to her estate in Beverley.

3 Martha. Married Marmaduke Constable, of Siglesthorne, Gent. Mar. Lic. dated 1666. He, aged 22; she described as of St. Mary's, Beverley, Spinster, aged 19; to marry at Walkingham.

JOHN ALURED, eldest son of John Alured, M.P., the Regicide. Very little has been ascertained concerning him. He was born

circa 1632, and was clearly the John Alured, cousin in the first degree and next of kin, to whom on 1 Aug., 1668, was granted a Commission to administer the goods, &c., not fully administered of Thomas Alured, of Blackfriars. He seems to have died shortly afterwards, for on 16 Nov., 1668, a new Commission for the same purpose was granted to his uncle, Matthew Alured, and on the same date, Admon. to John Alured, late of Beverley, Co. York, was granted to Jane Alured, the Relict. He had issue—

1 Matthew Alured, only son.

2 Jane, who became eventually, in her issue, heiress of the line.

MATTHEW ALURED, only son, described as of Heydon, Co. York, Esq., of the Parish of All-Hallows, Lombard Street, London, Merchant, and ultimately of Burton-upon-Trent, Co. Stafford, Esq. Born circa 1659. Married at St. Andrew's, Holborn, 19 May, 1703, *Anne*, dau. of *Sir Henry Every, Bart.*, Mar. Lic. dated 19 May, 1703, he, aged 44 years, bachelor; she, aged 45 years, spinster. Will dated 15 June, 1703. Admon. with will annexed, 25 Oct., 1719, to Edward Pincke and Alured Pincke, the nephews, two of the residuary Legatees, Jane Pincke, widow, the sister, and executrix, having died in Testator's lifetime. His widow survived till 1725.

JANE ALURED, only sister of the last named Matthew Alured, married William Pincke, of Snow Hill, London, third son of Henry Pincke, of Kemphott Park, Winslade, Co. Hants, (by his wife Anne, dau. of Henry Wither, Esq.) She died, his widow, at Enfield, in Middlesex, in July, 1715, and was buried at Winslade, Hants. M.I., on which she is described as daughter of John Alured, of Hedon, Co. York. She left, surviving, two sons, Edward and Alured Pincke, who administered to the estate of their uncle Matthew Alured, and several daughters. The male descent from the marriage of Jane Alured and William Pincke failed in 1822, with their grandson Alured Pincke, of Sharstead Court, Co. Kent, Esq., when the representation of the eldest son of John Alured, the Regicide, and with it the heirship of the line of Alured of the Charterhouse, centred in the descendants of the daughters of William Pincke and Jane Alured. Portraits of the Regicide and his wife existed some few years back, and probably still exist, at Sharstead Court, Kent. Upon whom the male Alured representation devolved upon the decease of Matthew Alured in 1719, is not so clear. Thomas Alured, the second son of the Regicide, was living in the year 1700, up to which date he held the Recorder-ship of Beverley, but whether he married and left issue has not been ascertained. The circumstance that Colonel Matthew Alured is described in the Admon. of Nov., 1668, as nephew by the brother, and next of kin of his uncle Thomas Alured, of

Blackfriars, would seem to infer the previous decease of all his elder brothers, but whether without issue cannot be said, although had there been such, Miss Dorothy Alured, who in her will of 1673 mentions so plentifully her relatives, would almost certainly have named them. It may be observed that Colonel Matthew Alured was not actually next of kin of his uncle Thomas Alured, of Blackfriars, but assuming the death of his elder brother he was next of kin of full age; his grand-nephew Matthew—who was really the heir, being only nine years old at the time. A branch of the Alureds seems to have been located in Co. Nottingham. Henry Alured, of St. Peter's, Nottingham, was married in 1603 to Ann Grinder, of Barnsley. In Foster's *Register of Admissions to Grays Inn*, we find that John, son and heir of Christopher Alured, of Marten, Co. Notts, was admitted 28 April, 1658. This Christopher Alured may have been the "Christopher Alured, of Harwood," who in 1665 married at Gargrave, Eleanor Pelham, of Wragley, he being then aged 52; she, 32. But in that case it would necessarily be a second marriage. The Nottingham Alureds descended possibly from one of the brothers of Thomas Alured, who established his family at the Charterhouse, but of this, so far, no proof has been afforded.

The Arms generally attributed to Alured of Charterhouse, are—*Gules*, a chevron engrailed between three Griffins' heads erased, *argent*, beaked, *or*, see *The Visitations*; but some of the family bore—On a saltire, between four Griffins' heads, erased, a Leopard's head enclosed by four lozenges, pointing to the ends of the saltire. It is worthy of note that these last appear to be the bearings upon the Seal affixed by John Alured to the Death Warrant of Charles I. The arms quartered by Alured, and also by the descendants of William Pincke and Jane Alured, are—1, Twyer, *gules*, a cross vair; 2, Clifton, *sable*, a Lion rampant between nine Cinquefoils *argent*, a Mullet for difference. They do not appear to have used the Constable quartering, although clearly within their right.

The Charter-house, in Hull, was founded by Sir Michael de la Pole, in 1384. It stood just outside the gates of a large Carthusian Monastery. This was closed by Henry VIII. and fell into ruins, thus remaining many years. A portion of these ruins was destroyed in the siege of Hull, in 1642, and some part was standing in 1800. Whatever connection the Alureds had with the Monastery site must have been derived either as grantees from the King, or as purchasers from some other grantee. No Alured had any known connection with the Charter House Almshouse, called "God's House." The Alureds probably resided in a house built on the site of the old Carthusian Monastery, and had no official connection with the Charterhouse Hospital.

The Corporation of Heydon possess, I believe, two silver drinking cups, presented by Colonels John and Matthew Alured. One of these cups is said to have the arms of Alured engraved upon it.

WM. DUNCOMBE PINK.

Leigh, Lancashire.

Alured Proofs.

EXTRACTS FROM THE OLDEST BOOK OF PARISH REGISTERS
OF SCULCOATES, HULL.

Anno dñi 1606, anno Jacobi Regis. . . . Mr. John Alured
. . . . Sepultus in cemeterio Trinitatis de Kingstone super
Hull tertio die Aprilis.

John, the sonne of Henry Alured, was borne at (? Caive*) and
was christened at Preston, 4 Aprilis, 1607.

Thomas, the sonne of Henry Alured, was borne at the Charter-
house, the first of September, 1608.

Christofer, ye sonne of Henry Aleured, Esq., was baptized
ye xxvii of Jaunuaryia, 1609.

(Ellen?)* Alured, ye daughter of Henrie Alured, Esquire,
was baptized ye daye of Aprill, 1611.

George, the sonne of Henry Alured, Esq., was baptized ye
fourth daie of August, 1612.

Willm, the sonne of Henrye Alered, Esquire, was baptized
the day of September, 1621.

Kitt Aleured, ye son of Henry Aleured, Esq., buried the 15
of May, 1623.

Elizabeth, ye daughter of Henry Alured, Esq., was bureied ye
. of September, 1624.

Ellin, the daughter of Henry Alured, Esq., was buried the
third day of December, Anno Dom. 1624.

frances Alured, the wife of Henry Alured, Esquire, buried
ye 22 day of June, in Anno Dom. 1626.

Henry Alured, Esquire, who dwelt at ye Charter-house of ye
. of Sculcoates, was buried in ye Church of S. Trinitatis,
in Kingston-upon-Hull, the 14 day of April, 1628.

Benjamin Alured, the sonne of John Alured, Esq., buried
the 29 January, 1640.

Mary, the daughter of John Alured, Esq., baptized the 15 of
October, 1689.

Benjamin, the sonne of John Alured, Esq., baptized the 23
of September, in ye Chappell of Charter-house, 1640.

* Name indistinct.

[Note.—Between 1640 and the last date in the Book—Oct. 20, 1684—no
notice of the family found.]

York Marriage Licences.

[*Paver's Extract in Add. MSS.*]

- 1603—Henry Alured, of St. Peters, Nottingham, and Ann Grinder, of Barnsley. To marry at either.
- 1603—Henry Alured, gent., son and heir of John Alured, Esq., of Charter-house, and Frances Vaughan, daughter of Francis Vaughan, Esq., late of Sutton-on-Derwent, deceased. To marry at Custer? (sic) or Hannaby? (sic).
- 1609—Marmaduke Grimston, of Garton in Holderness, and Lucy Alured, of Sculcoates. To marry at the latter.
- 1610—Robert Brearey, of Batley, and Ann Owlereed, of St. Johns, York. To marry at the latter.
- 1624—Lancelot Alured, Gent., and Lady Grace Davile, Widow, of Filey. To marry at the latter.
- 1628—Robert Johnson, Clerk? (sic) of Beford, and Ann Alured, of Sculcoates. To marry at either.
- 1629—Anthony Gifford, Gent., and Ann Alured, Widow, both of St. Mary's, Beverley.
- 1642—Matthew Alured, Gent., of Sculcoates, and Catherine Nelthorp, Widow, of Walkington. To marry at either.
- 1663—William Popple, of Hull, Merchant, aged 25, and Mary Alured, of Walkingham, Spinster, aged 25. To marry at the latter or at St. Mary's, Hull.
- 1665—Christopher Alured, Esq., of Harwood, aged 52, and Eleanor Pelham, of Wragley, Widow, aged 32. To marry at Gargrave.
- 1666—Marmaduke Constable, of Siglesthorne, Gent., aged 22, and Martha Alured, of St. Marys, Beverley, Spinster, aged 19. To marry at Walkingham.

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Wills and Admons. in P.C.C.

WILL OF THOMAS ALURED, OF BLACKFRIARS. 1638.

"I, Thomas Alured, of Blackfryers, London, Gent," * * *
 "to be layed neere my late deare wife in the Church Porch, in Blackfryers, London." * * * "unto my Nephue Henry Thompson, whoe hath beene bred upp by me from a childe, the lease and the wholle benefitt thereof, which I have for his life from Mr. Tristram Jackson, of Yorkshire, or his sonne, (out of Barnabie as I remember) of £50 a year, together with the writeings and bondes concerning the same, which I think are in his Uncle or Aunt Wykes their custodie, also a legacy of £50 in addition to the £30 his Aunt, my wife, desired by her Will,

and upon her death-bed, to give unto him, and besides the twentie pounds I have out of his, given unto him formerly by my Cozen Edward Latymer, deceased; to each of my elder brother's sonnes, £50; to my Neece Johnson, my eldest brother's eldest daughter, £50; to my Neece Sara, his youngest daughter, £200; to my Neece Everill Clare, £400, to be disposed of for the use of her and her children, which Doctor Clare consents unto as her elder brother. I forgive unto my brother Lancelot all that he owes me, for some of which my Cousin Henry Darlie, stands bounde alone in a bonde for payment of £200; also, to said brother, £150 more and £40 a year for life; unto my sister Lucie Harris, £50; to Mary Thompson and Larrence Thompson, my late wife's Neece and Nephew, when of age; unto their mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, my late wyve's sister, £10, and an annuity of £12 for life. Other Legatees not called Relations; my Nephue Mr. John Alured, my eldest Brothers eldest son, sole Exor. and residuary Legatee; my late wives Neece and Nephues, Mary, Henry, and Lawrence Thompson; * * my good freind and Cozen Mr. Henry Darley, Overseer, to whom a Northern Nagg. Dated, 2 May, 1638. Codicil same date, unto my sister Weekes, a Gould chaine; another chain with diamond I leave with my Executor, or the Lady Darley, to keepe for the use of my Executor's eldest sonne's wife." Proved 30 May, 1638, by said Exor. (55 Lee.)

1 Aug., 1668. Commission to John Alured, cousin in the first degree, and next of kin of Thomas Alured, late of St. Anne's, Blackfriars, London, deceased, to administer the Goods &c., of the said deceased, according to the form and effect of his Will, John Alured, senr., the Executor named therein (now also deceased) not having fully administered. Another grant Nov., 1668.

16 Nov., 1668. Commission to Mathew Alured, the nephew by the brother, and next of kin of Thomas Alured, late of St. Anne's, Blackfriars, London, deceased, to administer the Goods &c., of the said deceased, according to the form and effect of his Will, with a Codicil annexed, John Alured, his nephew by the brother and Executor, and John Alured, his cousin, (both also now deceased,) not having fully administered. Former grant, Aug., 1668.

16 Nov., 1668. Admon. to John Alured, late of Beverley, Co. York, deceased, granted to Jane Alured, the Relict.

WILL OF MATHEW ALURED, 1703.

15 June, 1703. "I, Mathew Alured, of London, Merchant, being purposed to take a voyage into parts beyond the seas, &c. Whereas on the 19th day of May last, I was married to Mrs. Anne Every, Daughter of the late Sir Henry Every, of

the County of Derby, Bart., deceased, and have not as yet received any part of her fortune, or made her any Settlement, &c. I do give and bequeath unto my dear and well beloved wife, Anne Alured, all her fortune left her by her father or by any other person, or that may be left her, &c., and I do further give unto my dear wife, Anne, Twenty Pounds for mourning; unto my Godson and Nephew, Alured Pincke, £200; unto my Niece, Jane Hinton, £200; my sister Jane Pincke's five Children, or as many of them as shall be living at my death, residuary Legatees; my dear sister Jane Pincke, my sole Executrix." Witnesses: Edw: Thornycroft, Robert Barkham, Abra: Bowers. On the 25 Oct., 1719, Commission to Edward Pincke and Alured Pincke, two of the residuary Legatees named in the Will of Matthew Alured, late of Burton-upon-Trent, Co. Stafford, Esquire, deceased, Jane Pincke, Widow, the Sister and Executrix having died in the Testator's lifetime. (175. Browning.)

PAPERS RELATING TO COL. MATTHEW ALURED, 1650-4.

(*Add. MSS. 25347.*)

- FO. 1—"Col. Alured's Charges for the Raising his footo Regmt. for Scotland, 1650."
 F. 11—"Instructions for Coll. Math. Alured, appointed Commander-in-Cheefe of the forces designed for the Islands of Moola and Skey, in or neere Scotland."
 F. 21—"Informacon. agst. Math. Alured, Esq., Coll. of footo, under the Command of His Highness Oliver, Lord Protector of England, Scotland, and Ireland, &c., 7 Dec., 1654.

WILL OF DOROTHY ALURED, OF BEVERLEY.

"In the name of God, Amen. I, Dorothy Alured, of Beverley, in ye County of Yorke, Spinster, &c. * * unto my deare loving Father, Matthew Alured, Esq., my House in Beverley, on the East side of the street commonly call'd Wednesday Market, or Fish Market, one Stable, one Barn or Lathe, and one little Close of Meddow or Pasture, &c., also my Close lying or being within the Bounds of Beverley, neare a Place called Speare Dicke, &c., (both which were given me by my loving Granmr, Mrs. Dor. Ridmaine) for life, with a power to sell the house, if he can, and at his death to leave the house, or ye moneys he may have received for it, together with the Close to my Nephew Mathew Popple, and his Heirs for ever. I also give my Nephew, Mathew Popple, 50li, to be employ'd by way of Trade, until he come to be 20 years of age &c.; unto my loving Sisters, Mrs. Mary Popple, Mrs. Martha Constable, £20 each for mourning; unto my Brother and Sister Nelthorp, my Brother Constable & Brother Popple, 20/- a-piece for rings;

unto my Aunt Ashmole, £30; unto my loving Cousens Thomas Alured & Mathew Ashmole, 20/- each for rings; unto my Cousen Sarah Alured, £10; I give my Cousen Susannah Saunders, £10; unto Isbell Thorp, £5; to Mary Langhorn, £2; I give the other Servants in the house, 6/- a-piece; to Mr. Aldern. Coulson, 20/-; to ye Poor of ye Parish of St. Mary's in Beverley, £5; unto Mary Thornton, 20/-; my Deare loving Father Mathew Alured, my Sole Executor. Dated 15 Oct., 1673. Witnesses—John Brereton, Ralph Nickolson. No date of Probate given. (*Add MSS. Fol. 36.*)

Fo. 37—Bond dated 17 Nov., 1691, from Mathew Alured, of Beverley, Co. York, Esq., & Matthew Ashmole, of the same, Gent., for £100—to Abigail Johnson, of the same, widow; the condition being that the said Alured Ashmole pay to the said Abigail the sum of £51 10/- on the 18 May next ensuing.

FROM THE REGISTER OF ADMISSIONS TO GRAYS INN.

(Vide *Collectanea Genealogica*, Part IV. Ed. by Joseph Foster.)

Alured, Henry, son and heir apparent of John A., of Charterhouse, in the East Riding of Yorkshire, armiger.—9 Nov., 1601.

Alured, John, 2nd son of John A., of Charterhouse, in the East Riding of Yorkshire, armiger.—9 Nov. 1601.

Alured, John, son and heir of Henry A., of Charterhouse-juxta-Hull, Co. Yorke, armiger.—11 Aug., 1628.

Alured, John, son and heir apparent of Christopher A., of Marten, Co. Nottingham, Esq.—28 April, 1658.

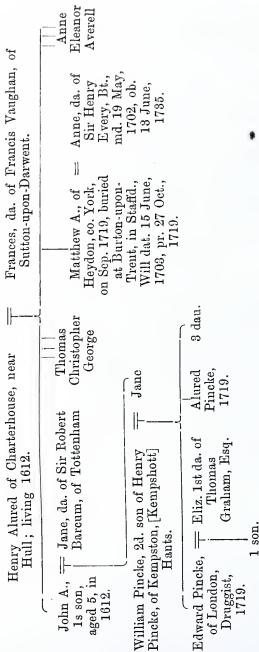
Alured, Thomas, son of John A., of Charterhouse, Co. York, armiger.—1 May, 1604.

Alured, Thomas, 2nd son of John A., of Charterhouse, near Kingston-upon-Hull, Co. York, Esq.—13 July, 1655.

W.D.P.



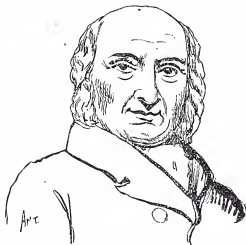
In *Putnam's Collections*—"T. P. 13, p. 97."—Among the private MSS. of the Coll. of Arms:



[This Pedigree is obviously incorrect in confusing Colonel Matthew Alured with his grand-nephew of the same name, whom it omits entirely; and further in making Jane Pincke, the daughter, instead of grand-daughter of the Regicide. It is however, important, as confirming the relationship between the two Colonels, John & Matthew Alured, and the marriage and issue of the heiress of the line.]

The Rev. William Atkinson, M.A.

William Atkinson was born at Thorparch, on the 14th of April, 1758, and was the fourth son of the Rev. Christopher Atkinson, who was then the Vicar of that place. They were four clever lads, these young Atkinsons, and as graduates at Jesus College, Cambridge, achieved a degree of success that does not often fall to the lot of so many members of the same family. The eldest of them afterwards assumed the name of Busfeild in addition to his name of Johnson Atkinson. The entire name of Johnson Atkinson Busfeild till recently remained in the same family in the person of the late J. A. Busfeild, Esq., of Upwood, near Bingley.



The second of the four brothers, Miles Atkinson, born at Ledsham, in 1741, afterwards Incumbent of St. Paul's Leeds, was, like his elder brother, a Wrangler at Cambridge; and so also was the third brother, Christopher Atkinson.* William, the youngest, the subject of this notice, was First Junior Optime at Cambridge, and took his degree of B.A. in 1780, and his M.A. in 1783. He was for a time Rector of All Saints' Warham, Norfolk, and in 1784 became Afternoon Lecturer at the Parish Church, Bradford, an enrolment worth £40 a year, and for which a sermon had to be preached every Sunday afternoon.

His appointment to this Lectureship led to one of the most violent controversies Bradford has ever known. To attempt to go into the details of it in this brief sketch is out of the question. Suffice it to say that the most prominent figures in the quarrel

* Query, How were the Rev. Christopher Atkinson, Rector of Elland, and the Rev. Thomas Atkinson, of Hartshead, related to this family?—Ed.

were the Rev. John Crosse, the Vicar of Bradford; the Rev. Edwd. Baldwyn, Master of the Bradford Grammar School; and Mr. Atkinson, the subject of this notice. The "head and front" of offence was the fact that Mr. Crosse went out of his way to present the vacant Lectureship to a stranger (Mr. Atkinson), instead of to Mr. Baldwyn who looked upon it as perquisite, as of right (and certainly of custom) belonging to the Mastership of the Grammar School. But Mr. Crosse had an old grudge against Mr. Baldwyn, and rather than let the enrolment fall into his hands he looked abroad for some other recipient.

Mr. Atkinson was drawn into the feud that followed, for no other reason than that he had accepted Mr. Crosse's offer of the Lectureship. Baldwyn was incensed, and smarting under a bitter sense of disappointment, became a furious antagonist, and by means of printed pamphlets hurled the strongest anathemas against the Vicar Crosse, and the object of his choice, Mr. Atkinson. The struggle became fierce and hot, and all parties in the town, religious and political, were drawn into the vortex. Like many another warfare of words, where temper is allowed to supplant reason, it produced no better result than to generate a bitterness of feeling and vindictiveness of spirit that ill accorded with the characters and position of the parties concerned in it.

"Parson Atkinson," as he was familiarly called, although somewhat eccentric in character, was withal a man of rare scholarly attainments and intellectual power. In person he was of herculean build, and far beyond the average height of human stature. He did not preach in his master's gown, nor wear the academic hood of his degree, as is usual at the present day, but in the round flowing gown of the University Scholar of present times, or in other words, the Geneva gown. He did not, however, raise it in ponderous folds to his shoulders, and display their fulness to the eyes of his congregation, as many others did, who professed to be austere followers of Crammer, Ridley, and Latimer. Occasionally he would address his hearers in a plainness of speech that reminded one of the style peculiar to Grimshaw, of Haworth. In one of his discourses he divided the inhabitants of Bradford into three parts, one of which, he affirmed, never attended the service of the Church; another part he said, did attend, but it was purely from fashion or habit; and the third, he observed, *might* do it from principles of piety and devotion. But, he asked with much emphasis, whether among these there were *ten righteous*, ten who really worshipped God in spirit and in truth.

Mr. Atkinson had but scant sympathy with Dissent and Dissenters, and in this particular he differed greatly from the Vicar Crosse, who lived in the friendliest terms with the Dissenting Ministers of the town. One of the crotchets of Mr. Atkinson

was the possession of a printing press, which he kept in his house, and from which he often issued pamphlets and broad-sheets on ecclesiastical or political topics, under the name of "The Old Inquirer." At one time he brought out a small serial called *The Looking Glass*, in which he expressed with some bitterness his views of Dissent and its advocates.

Mr. Atkinson married in 1791, Mary, daughter of John Cot-tam, Esq., by whom he had five sons and three daughters. During the later years of his life, the reverend gentleman resided at the home of his ancestors, Thorparch, and here he ended his long and useful life on the 30th of September, 1846, in the eighty-ninth year of his age. W. SCRUTON.

BOWER.—Robert Bower, of Barnsley, married Grace Keres-forth. Their son Robert B., of Barnsley, died 1659. His son Nathaniel was 18 years of age in 1665. Nathaniel Bower, bapt. 1678, of Cawthorne, near Barnsley, was father of Nathaniel, bapt. 1717; the father of John, bapt. 1776, who married Elizabeth Atkinson, of Knottingley Hall, and had issue John and Elizabeth. Can you give me any information from Wills, or the Registers at Bradford, with which place the Bowers were evidently connected, proving that Nathaniel, b. 1678, was son of the Nathaniel, b. c. 1647-8. T.D.H.

ATKINSON OF RIPON.—A member of this family became Secretary to William III. in 1699, and his descendants held office successively in the Royal Mint for 150 years. Henry Wm. Atkinson, Esq., had two sons knighted—Sir Jasper, born 1790, knighted in 1842, and Sir Henry Esch Atkinson, born 1792, knighted in 1836.

ARMITSTEAD.—Notes on the Ancestors of George Armitstead, Esq., of Easingwold, a Riga Merchant, are desired. William Ermytstead was a Birstall vicar and benefactor more than two centuries ago. The arms borne by Mr. George Armitstead, (M.P. for Dundee in 1868), son of the first-named, are—Or, a chevron embattled sable, between three pheons gules, within a bordure of the second. Crest—a sinister and a dexter Arm each embowed and in armour, and grasping a spear erect proper. "Ever Ready."

BISHOP CATRIK.—I was at Florence in the spring, and in the Church of Santa Croce, I noticed and sketched a tomb in the centre of the nave to the memory of John Catrik, Bishop of Exeter, d. 1419. He is reported to have sprung from a York-shire family—Catterick, alias Ketterick. On the tomb his Coat of Arms is represented in black and white marble, and is stated to be—Sa., three cats, passant, argent. The families of Catt and Catricke have each three cats in their crest. Will

you kindly inform me whether any of your County works give any account of this Bishop. T.N.B.

Devonsh., Aug. 12, 1885.

Catricke—Sable, a chevron between three cats passant guardant, argent.

Catterick—*Yorkshire Visitation*, 1585,—Argent on a fess engrailed sable, three quatrefoils, or.

Keate, of Cornwall, bears—"Argent, three wild cats passant in pale, sable." C.B.N.

YORKSHIRE UNIVERSITY-MEN.—Amongst the early matriculations at Caius College, Cambridge, (from 1560 onwards), there are not very many referring to Yorkshire. Some of these, however, have given rise to considerable perplexity in the attempt to identify place-names. As the first volume of these entries is being prepared for the press, I should be much obliged to any readers who can assist me with the probable modern name of the places referred to. I have added the name of the student in each case, as a possible clue. The places are all in Yorkshire. J. VENN.

Caius College, Cambridge.

Richard Holtby, Frittam, 1573.
 Christopher Brice, Deepley, 1575.
 Marmaduke Langdale, Santon, (?), 1584.
 Gabriel St. Quintin, Kelse, 1534.
 Gabriel Catherall, Holand-in-Holderness.
 Christopher West, Haldon, 1603.
 Thomas Armistead, Stock, 1613.
 Thomas Pawson, Fauley, 1615.
 Robert Carr, Close House, nr. Giggleswick.
 Thomas Boswell, Beethwell, 1629.

A boy was educated (1600) in "schola adimpletensi": another at school in "Kirkebridge, in villa St. John's, Aldburgh"; and another "in Manerio de Ambleybie in parochia de Kevelie."

Is there a Manor of Girlington, (Ninian Girlington, Esq.)?

Information is desired about the parentage, &c., of Maccabeus Hollis, of Hull. He was Chamberlain in 1639, his son Robert being Recorder in 1697. Probably this could be determined by reference to the books of the Corporation.

THE BALMES OF BRADFORD AND BIRSTALL.—By favour of Edward Balme Wheatley-Balme, Esq., J.P., we present our readers with the Coat-Armour of the families he represents. The magnificent plate representing Flaxman's exquisite memorial in Bradford Parish Church, to Abraham Balme, gentleman, has just come into our possession. In order to test the family tradition, that the Balmes are of French origin, having come

MEET THE MOMENT.



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MR. BALME'S MONUMENT, IN BRADFORD CHURCH.

from France during the persecution of the Huguenots, we have searched our local parish registers with the following results. These we purposely leave in the form of proofs, leaving the attempt to tabulate a pedigree until additional fields are explored. The story goes that the refugee settled in Hackney, and built there Baulmes House, mentioned as such in 1647; and the name still survives there in *Bolme Square*. One portion of the family is said to have come into Yorkshire, but we take this to be mere conjecture, for the family was here at the commencement of our local Parish Registers.

From Birstall Registers:

Baptisms.—John s. John Balme, Feb. 6, 1585. Agnes d. John Baulme, July 23, 1587. John s. John Bawme, of Liversedge, April 3, 1589. Alice, his daughter, April 25, 1591; Margaret, his daughter, Dec. 16, 1593; Jane, his d., Nov. 1, 1600.

Marriages.—Nicholas Bawme married Jenet Dynyson, July 15, 1571. John Baulme, married Margaret Rause, July 8, 1582: the preceding baptisms refer to their children, no doubt, except Jane, a daughter by the second marriage. John Bawme married Sybbel Leafe, May 22nd, 1599. The Leafe family resided in Birstall parish, and may have been near relations of the Martyr of that name. It is scarcely correct, we note by parenthesis, that Yorkshire furnished but one martyr, though it furnished only one Leafe.

Burials.—Under 1584, 'bawme mylne' is incidentally mentioned. The place is still recognized. John s. John Bawme was buried April 16, 1586, and second son of that name was buried June 24, 1589. The wife of Robert Bawme, of Robert-town, Aug. 24, 1589. John Bawme of Robert-town, June 28, 1592. The wife of John Bawme, Robert-town, Jan. 1, 1594. Margaret d. John Baulme, Lyvrsage, Dec. 25, 1598. Jane d. of John, April 22, 1601.

The Bradford Registers unfortunately are imperfect before 1590. From them we obtain the following fragments—

John Bawme, of Manningham, buried Feb. 14, 1614. His wife was buried Nov. 11, 1613. Their children were—John, bur. Dec. 8, 1596; Mary, bur. July 29, 1598; Robert, bap. July 29, 1599; Mary, bap. May 1, 1603; a daughter buried Aug. 23, 1602; Elizabeth, bap. April 8, 1605, but was buried, we presume, under the term 'a child,' July 6, 1605; Jonas, bap. April 6, 1607, he lived in Little Horton and buried a child—Lucretia, Oct. 3, 1643. John Bawme, of Manningham, buried a child March 28, 1609, and another August 5, 1610. Robert Balme, of Bradford, was father of Isaac, bap. Dec. 1, 1633, John, bap. Jan. 6, 1638, bur. May 2, 1640, Mary, bap. Aug. 1, 1647. John Balme, of Manningham, son, we presume, of the aforesaid John, of Manningham, was father of John, bap. Nov.

16, 1623, Thomas, bap. Sep. 25, 1625, Martha, bap. March 23, 1627, Sarah, bap. Aug. 22, 1630, bur. Nov. 19, 1630, Mary, bap. Oct. 18, 1631, and Isaac, bap. Nov. 12, 1633.

Robert Bawme, of Little Horton, senior, was buried in Bradford Church, feb. 28, 1638. His children were—John, (born before the date of the first baptismal record in the Register but mentioned in his brother Isaac's will,) Martha, bap. March 4, 1599, who married, by licence, Jonas Walker, March 24, 1622, Michael, bap. Sep. 20, 1601, Abraham, bap. March 18, 1603, and Isaac, bap. Aug. 30, 1607. John, the eldest, so far as we know, resided at Bowling, and died before 1673, as mentioned in his brother Isaac's will that year. He married on June 26, 1619, Sarah Hodgson, of the old yeomanry family of that name at Bolling, or Bowling. He was a dissenter, and his house was licensed on the Declaration of Indulgence. John Balme, of Sickerlane, Bowling, (whose wife died suddenly Dec. 17, 1688, aged 66, as recorded by Oliver Heywood,) was probably his son; but we know from the Register that Abraham, bap. July 29, 1621, was his son. This Abraham was a clothier at Bowling, and his will nuncupative, Dec. 21, 1657, was proved by his widow Ellen, with Jonathan Thomas and John Greenwood, as witnesses. His son Isaac was probably born during the disturbances at Bradford caused by the Civil War. Like his grandfather, Isaac was a noted dissenter, and had his house licensed July, 1689, under the Toleration Act. Heywood often visited his house at 'Boulin.' Hannah Hodgson, possibly his grandmother's sister, died at his house in 1687, aged 80. Isaac's wife was buried July 3, 1717. Their children were—John, bap. Oct. 2, 1674, (married Ann Stead, of Bradford, June 15, 1696;) Rebecca, bap. Aug. 9, 1678, Isaac, bap. Oct. 18, 1682, Rachel, bap. Oct. 5, 1687, and married Robert Dautrie, June 19, 1711.

Abraham's other children were—Martha, bap. July 25, 1647, Hannah, bap. Aug. 12, 1649, Hellen, bap. Feb. 25, 1654, and John, bap. March 20, 1652, whose wife was buried Dec. 13, 1719, and whose daughter Sarah, married Edward Gravilly, died May 14, 1724, on the birth of her second child, and was buried at Whitkirk next day.

Michael, the second son of Robert Balme, born 1601, of Little Horton, afterwards of Parkhouse, married Elizabeth Lister, Aug. 4, 1629. Their children were—a child buried April 18, 1632, Elizabeth, bap. same day, bur. April 23, 1632. Mary, bap. April 28, 1633, Thomas, bap. Jan. 10, 1635, bur. April 9, 1637, William, bap. June 18, 1637, and Abraham, bap. Aug. 25, 1639.

Isaac, the youngest son of Robert Balme, of Little Horton, bap. 1607, will dated May 8, 1673, mentions his wife Mary, his deceased brother John, and his nephew Abraham Carter. An



Edward Balme Wheatley Balme.

unbaptized child of Isaac Balme was buried at Bradford, Feb. 22, 1636, his daughters were Mary, bap. May 20, 1637, Martha, bap. Feb. 14, 1640, and Haunah, bap. June 18, 1645. The messuage he bequeathed to the heirs of his deceased brother John, of Bolling. The clock, virginals, silver-cup, two silver spoons, and furniture that was her own mother's to Mary his daughter.

Robert Balme, junior, of Little Horton, who was buried within Bradford Church, March 9, 1638, was a son of the said Robert, senior, we feel persuaded, but have not the record of his baptism. The children of Robert the younger were—Mary, bap. May 10, 1629, Robert, Sep. 2, 1632, Abraham, Nov. 27, 1636, Isaac, May 27, 1637.

Thomas Balme, of Allerton, was buried Sep. 12, 1624. Isabel Balme, of Allerton, was buried Aug. 14, 1620; and Widow Balme, May 10, 1636. Thomas' children were—Michael, bap. Jan. 4, 1600, William, bap. Feb. 12, 1603, buried Oct. 17, 1625, and Elizabeth, bap. Aug. 5, 1610, bur. Aug. 12, 1627. Michael married Susan Whitwham, May 28, 1633, and had three daughters—Mary, bap. July 3, 1636, Elizabeth, bap. Aug. 12, 1637, Susan, bap. May 1, 1641.

In addition to these, and other proofs of the early residence of the Balmes in Bradford and Birstall, there were branches, it seems, at Pontefract and Doncaster. Nicholas Bawne, 'milner,' Pontefract, made his will, proved in 1605. Percival Bawne, joyner, Doncaster, will proved Dec. 3, 1612, mentions his daughters Katherine Bawne and Elizabeth Bawne.

There are no Balme wills at York from 1570 to 1605.

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ADAMS.—William A., of Owston, will dated 1557

— Ann Frankland.

Henry, will and inq., p.m., 1562

— Mary, d. Alex. Metham, of Cadeby.

Philip, b. 1558 or 9, d. 1623

— Gertrude, d. Thos. Bosvile, of Warmsworth.

William, b. 1604-5, d. 1638

— Margaryt, d. Sir Thos. Ellis, Knt., of Grantham.

Sir William A., of Owston, Knt., J.P., b. 1627, d. Feb. 1667.

— Mary, d. John Downay, sister to 1st Visct. Downe, d. 1698, aged 69.

William,
d. May, 1654.

John
— Vere d. Sir
John Jackson.

Thomas,
Recorder
of York.

Henry Adams, M.A., presented to the Rectory of Rawmarsh in 1636, married in 1659, Susan Sill, of Rotherham.

Christopher Adams, presented to the same Rectory in 1666, married Mary Nutter, of Rawmarsh, probably a descendant of Wm. Nutter, a former Rector. Ann Adams, their daughter, married William Stephenson, who died Rector of Rawmarsh, in 1747, aged 83, and was succeeded in the Rectory by his son Christopher, who married Elizabeth, d. Daniel Hoare, of Hull.

HUGH CURRER, OF MARLEY.—Do you know anything of a Hugh Currer, of Overbrea, Northowram, about 1670? He is mentioned in the will of one of the Saviles, of Marley Hall, Bingley. By the bye, how were these Saviles connected with the other families of that name?

DAWSON.—Richard Dawson, said to have been of Spaldington, co. York, married Anne, d. of Sir Henry Lowther. A descendant of theirs was William Dawson, Esq., collector of the revenue for Downe and Antrim, *temp.*, Chas. II. His son Ephraim became M.P. for Queen's County, and purchased Portarlinton, and was succeeded by his only surviving son William Henry Dawson, M.P. for Portarlinton, and on his father's death, M.P. for Queen's County. He married in 1737, Mary, d. Joseph Damer, co. Dorset. He became *Baron Dawson of Dawson's Court, Queen's County*, in 1770, and *Viscount Carlow*, in 1776. He died in 1779, and his eldest son John, b. 1744, succeeded as 2nd Viscount, and was advanced to an earldom in 1785, as Earl of Portarlinton.

Of the same stock, I believe, is the present Baron Cremorne and Baron Dartrey. Thomas Dawson, of Armagh, (the father of John and grandfather of Walter Dawson, who died in 1704), stands at the head of this branch. Can the Yorkshire ancestors be traced?—Enq.

BRIAN AMBLER.—In the *Life of Anthony a Wood*, Vol. I. Ecclesiastical History Society, mention is made of Brian Ambler, a junior of Merton College, who became a minister at Ledbury, in Shropshire, where he died in consequence of a fall from his horse. His son John was admitted a clerk of All Souls College in 1689, aged 17. Brian Ambler seems to have been a Yorkshireman, do the College Books show this?

ANNE. — Anne

Dorothy Anne = John Anlaby of Etton.	Isabel = Barth. s. Robert Triggot by Jane, d. Sir Bryan Hastings.	Martin — Francis Angier George Anne, Agnes of Strickley, = Francis d. 1620. Holmes, of = Margaret Hampole, Fenton. in 1585. Philip Anne = Ellen Sherburn d. 1647.
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? The relationship of
Michael Anne, Esq., J.P.
1683.

CHARLOTTE BRONTE.—We have been favoured with two letters of Miss Brontë, and a precious lock of her hair. Part of the first letter, referring to the failure of the projected boarding-school, we give in fac-simile. The second letter tells of Anne's journey to Scarbro', where, in twelve days' time, she died.

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Dear Mr
 J. Emily & Anne are truly
 obliged to you for the efforts you
 have made in our behalf — and if you
 have not been successful you are
 only like ourselves — every one wishes
 as well — but there are no Jupiters to
 be had — We have no present in-
 tention however of breaking our hearts
 on the subject — still less of feeling
 mortified at defeat — the effort must
 be beneficial whatever the result may
 be — because it teaches us experience
 and an additional knowledge of the
 * world —

Yours faithfully Anne

*I send you two additional circulars, and will send you two more, if you desire it, when I write again. I have no news to give you—Mr. — leaves in the course of a fortnight—he will

spend a few weeks in Ireland previously to settling at Keighley, he continues just the same, often noxious and bad tempered—sometimes rather tolerable, just supportable. How did your party go off? how are you? how is — Write soon and at length for your letters are a great comfort to me—we are all pretty well—Remember me kindly to each member of the household at Brookroyd.

Yours C.B.

May 16th, /49.

Dear Ellen,

We have now made arrangements for the journey. We shall leave Keighley about $\frac{1}{2}$ past one o'clock and expect to reach Leeds soon after two—Wednesday 23rd, that is next week. It is with a heavy heart I prepare, and earnestly do I wish the fatigue of the journey well over—it may be borne better than I expect—for temporary stimulus often does much, but when I see the daily increasing weakness I know not what to think. I fear you will be shocked when you see Anne, but be on your guard, dear Ellen, not to express your feelings, indeed I can trust both your self-possession and your kindness.

I wish my judgment sanctioned this step of going to Scarbro' more fully than it does. You ask how I have arranged about leaving papa—I could make no special arrangement, he wishes me to go with Anne, and would not hear of Mr. N— coming or anything of that kind, so I do what I believe is for the best and leave the result to Providence. Best love to all. Is your sister Ann's affair settled?

Yours faithfully,

C. Brontë.

ARTHINGTON. JACKSON. Cyril Arthington, of Milnethorpe.
= Ann Binns

Elizabeth=Joseph Wood, M.A., Vicar, of Sandal		Rosamund =Thomas Hardcastle.
Rosamund Wood=Robert Jackson, Rector of Adel, d. June 28, 1730	Sanford H.	=in 1725, Hen- rietta Proctor of Thorpe on Hill
William Jackson, Rector of Adel, or Addle.	Cyril Jackson, M.D., Halifax Cyril Jackson, D.D., Dean of Christ's Church.	Thomas H., heir to Arthington

HORSFALL, RICCARD. † Horsfall, ? What residence.

Richard H.=Anne Riccard Jane H.=John Riccard, of Heck, d.
1669, aged 58.

Mary R.=John Thoresby. Jane R.=Alexr. Clarke
d. Mch. 1707-8.

REV. THOMAS DICKENSON.—To the notices of Mr. Dickenson in the *Nonconformist Register*, allow me to add that some of his descendants may be traced to the present. His daughter Mary, b. 1717, d. 1804, married James Harriott, of London, Master of the Cordwainers' Company in 1779, Lieut. Col. in London Militia. Their children were Thomas Dickenson Harriott, and Mary Harriott, who married John Newsom, a Doctor in Cheap-side, London. Mrs. Newsome, b. 1748, d. 1812, had, beside other children, Mary, b. 1774, d. 1845, who married William Brigg, of Leeds, a descendant of the Brigg or Briggs family of Norwood-green, in Hipperholme; and his grandson, the Rev. John E. Brigg, of Hepworth Vicarage, Huddersfield, married the daughter of Walter Williams, Esq., of London, who had married Harriet E. Newsom, daughter of Joseph Newsom, of London, b. 1776, d. 1851, the son of Dr. Newsom. Portraits of James and Mary Harriott are still held by the family. They have also a Testimonial, of which the following is a copy:

Whereas Mr. Thomas Dickenson hath addressed himself to us, ministers of the Gospel in the County of Lancaster, whose names are here subscribed, desiring to be ordained a Presbyter, and he, having given sufficient Testimonial of his diligence and proficiency in his studies, and unblameableness of life and conversation, and all exercises duly performed; These may testify to all it may concern that upon Thursday, the 29th of March, We have proceeded solemnly to set him apart to the office of a Presbyter, and work of the ministry of the Gospel, by laying on of hands with fasting and Prayer, by virtue whereof we do declare him to be a lawful and sufficiently authorized minister of Jesus Christ to exercise his ministry in any place where Divine Providence may call him, and particularly at Gorton, near Manchester for the present, exhorting the people in the name of Jesus Christ willingly to receive and encourage him in the execution of his said Office, that he may be able to give such account to Christ of their obedience to his ministry in the Lord, as may be to his joy and their everlasting comfort. In witness whereof we have hereunto put our hands this Twenty-third day of May in the year of our Lord 1694.

Henry Finch, Moderator.	Roger Baldwin.
John Chorlton, Scribe.	Samuel Angier.
Henry Newcome.	Nathanial Scholes.
Robert Eaton.	

The Rev. Thomas Dickenson belonged to an ancient family at Henton, near Manchester, and was born April 14th, 1669, and baptised the 24th of the same month. He was educated for the work of the ministry, and in the 25th year of his age he was solemnly set apart to that sacred office at Gorton, near Manchester, on March 29th, 1694, by the laying on of hands with fasting and prayer. He must have continued at Gorton about 8 years, for on the death of that venerable man of God Rev. Oliver Heywood, he succeeded to the pastoral care of the Church at Northowram, near Halifax. He purchased of the executors of Mr. Heywood his late dwelling place and continued his ministerial labours there with unremitted diligence and great success till 1743. On Sep. 4th in that year he was taken ill while preaching from Psalm 110, 19, but lived till December 26, when he died, and was buried in the Chapel at Northowram where for 42 years he had preached so faithfully. His wife was Hannah, daughter of Mr. Richard Foster, Clothworker, of Ossett, a very holy man. They were married Oct. 24, 1705. She, with eight of her twelve children, survived him. She soon removed to Clerkenwell, London, where she died, and was buried in Bunhill Fields.

Inscription on Rev. T. Dickenson's monument at Northowram. See Northowram or Nonconformist Register.

Inscription for Mrs. Dickenson in Bunhill Fields, London :

"Sacred to the memory of Mrs. Hannah Dickenson, Relict of the Reverend Mr. Thomas Dickenson of Northowram, near Halifax, in the County of York, who departed this life the 28th day of July, 1765, in the 80th year of her age. C.B.

RICHARD MONCKTON MILNES, first BARON HOUGHTON in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, who died at Vichy on the 10th of August, was buried in the family vault of the ancient Parish Church of Ferry Fryston, which stands on the confines of his principal Yorkshire seat, Fryston Hall. In harmony with the wishes and feelings of the deceased nobleman, the funeral was a quiet and unostentatious one, the circle of mourners being confined to the members of the family and immediate family connections. The long and intimate relations which have subsisted between the Milnes family and Pontefract, which town the father of the late Lord Houghton, Mr. Robert Pemberton Milnes, represented for twelve years, and Lord Houghton himself, as Richard Monckton Milnes, for a quarter of a century, rendered it impossible, however, to refuse the inhabitants of that place the opportunity, in an official and representative character, of paying a last tribute of respect and esteem to one who had so long been connected with the borough, and who had always taken a warm interest in its welfare. The late Lord Houghton's remains were conveyed to Fryston Hall,

and placed in the library of the mansion—Lord Houghton's favourite room, and the one where he spent the most of his time during his stay in Yorkshire. Embalmed at Vichy, the body lay in a plain oak coffin, in which it was originally placed, and inscribed on a brass plate on the coffin lid were the following words:—

RICHARD MONCKTON MILNES,

FIRST LORD HOUGHTON:

Born 19th June, 1809,

Died 10th August, 1885.

THE LATE ARCHDEACON HEY.—The mural monument which it was decided to erect in memory of the late Archdeacon Hey, in York Minster, has been placed in its position in the sacred edifice. It occupies one of the arcades of the wall of the north aisle of the choir, and is in the shape of a panel, with a *fleur de lis* of Italian alabaster at the summit. The panel is encircled with a bordering of dark fossil marble, within which runs all round a string of Tudor roses and foliage, also carved in Italian alabaster. In the centre is an oblong plate of red marble, highly polished, on which, in gold letters of old English text, is the following inscription:—"This tablet was placed here, and two scholarships were formed at St. Peter's School, York, by public subscription, in memory of William Hey, M.A., formerly Fellow of St. John's College, Cambridge, for 26 years head master of St. Peter's School, and at the time of his death vicar of St. Olave, Marygate, Canon Residentiary of York, and Archdeacon of Cleveland. Born June 1st, 1811; died suddenly 22d November, 1882. *Cito Venisti Domine Jesu non nimis cito.*" The monument has been designed by Mr. Bodley, architect to the Dean and Chapter of York, and executed by Messrs Palmer and Brindley, of Westminster Bridge Road, London.—*York Herald*.

BIRSTALL PARISH REGISTERS.—By favour of the esteemed Vicar, we have extracted, amongst other notes, the following particulars of general interest.

Baptisms.—March 14—March 30, 1561. Here it is said that a piece of ye booke was taken away. Robert Dickson, vicar, signs the first page. The Castlehouse in Liversedge is mentioned under 1564. The Wilbores or Wildbores lived in the parish at this date. Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. Robert Popelay, bap. Aug. 15, 1567. Margery, d. Thomas Halle, clerk, bap. Feb. 16, 1568. Alice, d. Thomas Halle, bap. Nov. 11, 1571. Henry, s. Robert Popeley, gent., July 16, 1569. Christopher, s. Robert Popeley, gent., Dec. 28, 1570. Alvery, s. Robert Popeley, gent., Dec. 25, 1574. Mary, d. Thomas Halle, deacon, June 15, 1575. [Sir Thomas Hall had been curate of Lightcliffe, or Eastfield Chapel, as it was then

called. 1575, Feb. 27 to May 1st, wanting. Oct. 6, 1577 to May 19, 1578—wanting, and there are only seven entries in the rest of 1578. There is then a blank up to Oct. 25, 1581. Edward, s. Thomas Halle, bap. Jan. 17, 1582. Robert, s. Robert Popeley, March 7, 1584. Nicholas, s. Mr. Robert Popelay, feb. 22, 1586. John, s. Mr. Robert Neville, of Liversedge Hall, feb. 26, 1587. Richard, s. William Harrison, schoolmaster, of Birstall, March, 1588. Damaris, d. Robert Dickson, pastor of ye church at Birstall, April 26, 1589. John, s. Edward Dickonson, late of Norwich, Oct. 26, 1589. Daniell, s. Robert Dickson, pastor of ye congregacon, March 28, 1591. March 15—April 2, 1592, blank. Robert, s. Mr. Christopher Popeley, of Popeley, gent., Sep. 3, 1592, and Elizabeth his daughter, Jan. 23, 1593. Zacharie, s. Mr. Robert Dickson, vicar, Aug. 24, 1593, and Tobias his son, Dec. 20, 1594. "Memorand, that these iiij following were baptized at Heaton chappell, [The White Chapel] without the knowledge and consent of Mr. Robt. Dickson, Vicar of Birstall, by a strange mynistr, Nov. 2, 1594"—four names follow. Elizabeth, d. Mr. Robert Dixon, Vicar, bap. Oct. 2, 1596; Edward, his son, Oct. 29, 1597; Bartholomew, his son, Sep. 14, 1599. Richard, s. Mr. Christopher Popeley, Oct. 10, 1596; Margaret, his daughter, June 11, 1597; Ann, his daughter, Sep. 16, 1599; John, his son, March 11, 1600; Lewys, his son, May 17, 1602. George, s. Mr. Robert Dickson, pastor of the Church at Birstall, bap. April 11, 1601. Judith, d. Mr. Lewis Waterhouse, of Popeley, bap. April 29, 1604. Dorothy, d. Mr. Christopher Popeley, of Popeley, Dec. 15, 1605. Abigail, d. Mr. David Waterhouse, of Okewell, Dec. 23, 1610. In 1610 the Mote-hill is mentioned. Elizabeth, d. Mr. Jonas Waterhouse, of Prsonage, bap. Nov. 1, 1609; Bridget, his daughter, March 11, 1611; Tempest, his son, Aug. 6, 1615. Elizabeth, d. Mr. Lewys Waterhouse, of Popeley, 1610; Margaret, his daughter, Sep. 29, 1614. Grace, d. Mr. Richard Musgrave, minister of Burstall, June 15, 1613, Ann, his daughter, Nov. 18, 1615; Mary, his daughter, Oct. 8, 1618; Jane, his daughter, Feb. 17, 1621.

francis ye dr. Mr. Marshe, pastor of ye congregacon, bap. Nov. 22, 1615. Tobie, s. Richard Marshe, vicar, was christened at Hartshead, Aug. 3, born July 26, 1620. Richard, s. Richard Marshe, vicar, bap. Aug. 10, 1622; Stephen, his son, Aug. 3, 1624; John, his son, Dec. 6, 1626; Elizabeth, his daughter, April 2, 1628; Edmund, s. Mr. Richard Marshe, Vicar, 1630; and John, his son, June 3, 1635.

Dorothy, d. Mr. Francis Popeley, Gomersall, Dec. 29, 1621; Elizabeth, his daughter, 1625; John, his son, feb. 5, 1626; Grace, his daughter, 1628.

Marriages.—The first wedding recorded is that of Edmund Horsfall and Johan Graue, May 9, 1558. Thomas Halle,

clerke, married Margaret Grave, Sep. 3, 1566. Henry Nettle-ton and Ann Popeley, 1569. Years 1577-1581 omitted in the Register. Edward Whittakers, clerk, and Elizabeth Gomersall, July 21, 1582. Mr. Robert Neville and Grace Pickeringe, Dec. 22, 1583. Richard Tempest and Margaret Hoyle, 1583. John Smyth and Dorothy Popeley, July 25, 1587. Richard Wilkinson, gent., and Mrs. Elizabeth Popeley, April 29, 1589. John Stubley and Mrs. Alice Popeley, 1592. Robert Drake and Jennet Marshe, Aug. 12, 1594. Edward Boyle and Alice Savill, Dec. 4, 1610. [We shall have further to notice the Boyles—who were of the Earl of Burlington's family.] Richard Musgrave and Alice Idle, March 28, 1611. Mr. John Popeley and Elizabeth Savill, May 7, 1614. Mr. Gervase Popeley and Ms. Jane Beamont, March 25, 1617. Mr. Edward Birkbecke, clerk, and Barbara Rey, 1617. Mr. Edward Hill [Vicar of Huddersfield,] and Ann Brighouse, Nov. 4, 1617. Mr. Francis Popeley and Elizabeth Gomersall, Nov. 14, 1620. Mr. Lewis West (? Waterhouse) and Francis Marshe, 1633. Richard Marshe, Vicar, and Ms. Elizabeth Batte, April 22, 1634.

Burials.—Elizabeth, wife of Robert Popeley, Aug. 10, 1561. William Taylier, Vicar of Birstall, March 24, 1563. Mr. Robert Popeley, of Wooley, Dec. 21, 1565. A child of the pypers of Heckmondwike, April 27, 1567. William, s. Thomas Halle, clerk, Jan. 3, 1567. Henry, s. Robert Popeley, gent., Oct. 18, 1569. The Keeper's wife of Lyversage Parke, 1569. Francis, s. William Barnbee, Esq., 1572. Alvary, infant s. Robert Popeley, gent., July 5, 1575. 1577-1581 unrecorded. Robert, s. Robert Popeley, Sep. 29, 1585. William Gryue, drowned himself in a pitt nere unto Adwalton townes ende and was buried on ye topp of ye comon ye 3th of June, 1586. Thomas Kytson, of *five score and six years*, April 12, 1587. Nicholas, s. Mr. Robert Popeley, of Popeley, 1587. Mr. Robert Popeley, of Popeley, Dec. 6, 1589. Anthony Toithill, of ye parish of Haworth, Aug. 23, 1590. Thomas Palden, of Halifax parish, 1591. Damaris, d. of Robte Dickson, pastor of the congregation at Birstall, May 30, 1592. Mr. Edward Batt, B.D., March 7, 1597. Mr. Francis Waterhouse, Birkinshay, Jan. 13, 1598. Ann, d. of Mr. Christopher Popeley, 1600; John, his son, (); Lewys, his son, June 20, 1602; Dorothy, his daughter, Nov. 23, 1605; his wife, Nov. 31, 1605. Robert Waterhouse; of Bingley parish, 1606. Mary, d. Mr. Jonas Waterhouse, of prsonage, Nov. 27, 1608; Margaret, his daughter, Dec. 14, 1608. Elizabeth, d. Mr. Nicholas Waterhouse, of Wither, Aug. 23, 1609. Mr. Christopher Popeley, of Popeley, July 21, 1615; Ann, his daughter, July 22, 1616. Ann, wife of Mr. Lewis Waterhouse, Nov. 3, 1617. Frances, d. Mr. Jonas Waterhouse, of Birstall, March 23, 1630; Judith, his wife, April 1, 1620. Ms. Margaret Waterhouse, of Birstall,

widow, 1623. Mr. Gervase Popeley, of Ridings, June 25, 1623. Elizabeth, d. Mr. Francis Popeley, 1625. John, s. Mr. Francis Popeley, of Little Gomersall, 1626. John, s. Richard Marshe, April 13, 1627. Richard Musgrave, Schoolmaster at Birstall and Curate of Tong, Jan. 7, 1628. Thomasine, wife of Mr. Richard Marshe [Vicar; afterwards Vicar of Halifax,] June 26, 1631. Edmund, his son, Aug. 21, 1632. Mrs. Elizabeth Wilkinson, widow, 1631. The wife of Mr. John Linley, Birstall, 1631. Elizabeth, wife of Mr. Francis Popeley, Gomersall, Dec. 31, 1632. Mr. Robert Waterhouse, of Birstall, March 2, 1633.

Other names of public interest from this first book at Birstall, we will give in a future number, and meantime leave the list as it stands. Yorkshire Genealogists will recognize the importance of the families just given, and many of the individuals will be known as men of historic standing. The second book begins with the year 1635. We cannot close this brief sketch without recording our thanks to the genial vicar of the parish of—not Spen Valley—but Birstall. *O tempora, O mores.*

LORDS EURE.—In Foster's Yorkshire Pedigrees, Sir John de Eure is said to have married Margaret, dau. of . . . ; supposed to be of the family of Lumley or Heron; but no evidence is given to support this statement. Their son is married to Isabella, dau. of Rob. Lord Clifford. As far as I can make out with such evidence as I have at hand, this lady could only have been the dau. of Rob. Lord Clifford, who mar. Euphemia, dau. of Ralph Nevill, and left no male issue, and as he was succeeded by his brother, the assumption is that he left no issue. Lord Clifford was the son of another Rob. Lord Clifford, by Isabella, dau. of Maurice, Lord Berkeley. Was not Margaret above, instead of being a Lumley or Heron, an heiress of Roos of Witton (or Whitton)? John de Roos held Witton temp. Edw. I, (vide Feet of Fines), and in 1410 Ralph de Eure, grandson of Margaret, had licence to fortify his castle of Witton. Again, according to the MS. of the Antiquary Torr in the Cathedral Library at York, the arms of Eure quartering Mowbray (184 *quarterly or, and gu., on a bend sa. three escallop shells arg., 2 and 3 Gu. a lion ramp. arg.*), were formerly in a window of Belton Church; at least so says Stonehouse in his "History of the Isle of Axholme." Is such the case? and if so, is there any other evidence of the marriage of an Eure with an heiress of Mowbray. I have lost the reference, but I have some recollection of seeing a fine or release of Easby from Wm. de Mowbray to John de Eure, I think temp. Edw. I. The settlement of the above marriages is a point of interest; and there are some other points that need clearing up. What children had Sir Sampson Eure (grandson of the second Lord) of Gateley Park, Herefordshire? According to the Royalist Composition Papers (No. 561), he had only one son, aged twelve years

in 1647. This son was called John, and is mentioned in Harl. MS. 5808, where he is said to have married Susan, dau. and coh. of Sir John Tracy, of Stanhow, 26 Sept., 1661. This marriage is confirmed by the Par: Reg: of Stanhoe, co. Norfolk, which also record the marriage of another dau. of Sir John Tracy, his own burial, and that of Elizabeth his wife. Any unpublished information from wills, parish registers, &c., relating to the Eure family will be most acceptable. A.J.J.

Our correspondent may be pleased to know that the fine original vellum pedigree of the Lords Eure, with special reference to the Pickerings of Tingley, the Heskeths, and the Swaines, is preserved at Braboeuf Manor, Guildford, where we saw it a few years ago.—Ed.

MORRALL, MORRELL.—Early notices, or historical sketch of this family will be esteemed a favour. M.

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Mr. Ben Preston.



IT is now some twenty years since the first appearance in a collected form, of Ben Preston's Poems. The little book was entitled, "The Dialect Poems of Benjamin Preston," and was issued at the moderate charge of a shilling. Besides a glossary of local dialect words, it contained a portrait of the poet, and a short biographical sketch from the pen of the poet's nephew,

Mr. J. E. Preston. Its publisher was Mr. Abraham Holroyd, of Bradford. The little book was a success in every sense, and its rapid sale went a long way towards establishing the already growing popularity of its author.

Since then, many of Mr. Preston's effusions have adorned the "Poet's Corner" of the *Bradford Observer*, and other local journals. From these sources, reaching over a long stretch of years, a choice collection of his poems, dialect and other, has recently been compiled by Mr. T. T. Empsall, and published by the

late Mr. Thomas Brear, both of Bradford. "An hour with this book," says the Rev. S. Baring-Gould, "is an hour of unclouded happiness, like many more I have spent on the Yorkshire moors, with the scent of whins in the air, and the larks singing overhead."

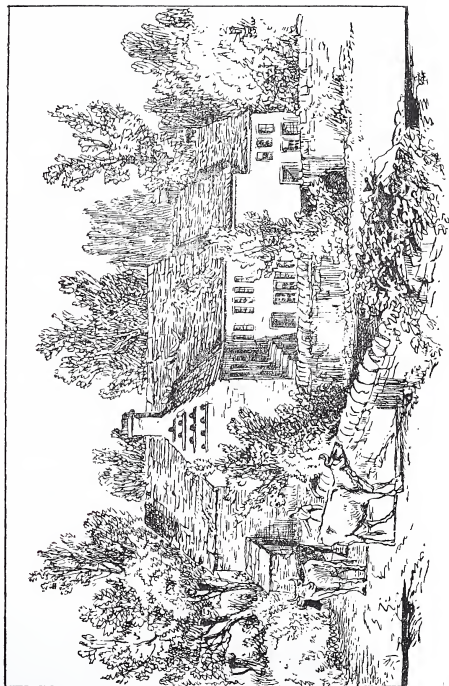
Ben Preston was born at Bradford, August 10th, 1819. He removed with his parents to a lovely spot some two miles up Bradford Dale, at so early a period in his life that he regards it as all but his actual birthplace. Half a century ago, this was indeed a sweet rural retreat, and the few years which the young poet had the good fortune of spending there made a lasting impression upon his memory. The place itself was known as "Waterside" (see sketch* on opposite page), and consisted simply of a farmstead, with outbuildings, and three cottages tenanted, when Ben was a child, by weavers and wool-combers, who followed their peaceful labours at their own firesides. Pleasant too, were the surroundings of this quiet nook, and well calculated to nurture and bring forth poetic ideas. In a poem (too long to be quoted here) entitled—"The Olden Days," written in his mature years, Mr. Preston, reproduces, almost without an effort, the sweet imagery of the old home-scenes of "Waterside."

Preston's father was a hand-loom weaver, but after a few years' residence at Waterside, he left the loom and entered the warehouse of a manufacturer in Bradford.

To the young poet this was a change not at all to his liking, for it meant a life of factory incarceration instead of home freedom, and the noisy pavement of a town in place of the green fields and hedgerows he so much loved.

On settling down at Bradford, the first step taken with young Ben was to send him to the Quaker School, where a fair education was given for a small outlay. Afterwards he was bound apprentice to his father's employer, with whom he served six years at wool-sorting. It was while plodding at this labour, day by day, that he became so intimately acquainted with the life of the factory operative, as it existed before legislation stepped in to put the curb on grasping and unscrupulous employers, who, in their scrambling haste to make riches, cared little for the lives of those they employed. Fortunes were being built up at the price of cruel and unjust oppression. Poor weavers and combers had to submit to wholesale abatements of their scanty wages, until it was all but impossible to live. In some instances, workpeople were even compelled to purchase the necessities of life at shops connected with the factories in which they toiled, at a disadvantage both in price and quality. But most cruel of all, young children were deliberately worked for fifteen or sixteen hours a day, with

* By the writer, equally facile with pen or pencil.—Ed.



hardly any intervals allowed in which to swallow their scanty meals. These were some of the evils that Ben Preston had to witness day by day, and that stirred his soul to its depths until he could hold his tongue no longer. His manly, independent spirit could tolerate no oppression or tyranny, no matter what cloak or name might disguise it. Hence the full power of his genius was evoked on behalf of the weak and suffering, and against the "Factory Lord," who could heap up riches by "grinding the face of the poor;" he poured out the vials of his wrath in burning words that could not be quenched.

By the passing of the Ten Hours Bill, statesmen and philanthropists completed the work so nobly begun and carried on by heroes like Oastler, Saddler and Bull. All honour be to their memory! But what tribute shall be paid to men like Ebenezer Elliot and Ben Preston,—the poets of the poor,—whose imperishable verses have done so much to awaken the sympathies of the nation on behalf of the oppressed and down trodden?

From the brief memoir to which reference has been made, we learn that the twenty years of Mr. Preston's town life began to tell upon his health. Moreover, the old love of country life was strong within him, and so it happened that when the common lands of Bingley were some years ago enclosed, he bought an allotment of some two or three acres and built a house upon it, to which he and his family removed in May, 1865. Afterwards he bought another piece of land in a sheltered nook at Eldwick, where he built the house in which he now resides, and where he continues to keep himself employed either in cultivating his bit of ground, or in printing homely, truthful pictures of Yorkshire life and character for the readers of *The Yorkshireman*. The house is a plain-looking but commodious building, and its surroundings embrace almost every variety of scenery. Of its gifted owner, it may be said—

"His books are rivers, woods, and skies,
The meadow and the moor."

W.S.

By the kindness of Mr. Preston, we are enabled to present our readers with an original poem of his, which was accidentally omitted from his collected poems. We regard it as one of his finest efforts.

The Redbreast.

B. PRESTON.

THE sunshine cold and pale,
But lights the watery vale
Like the faint smile upon a dead man's face.
Sodden with shine and dew,
Flowers perish where they grew,
And worms lie hidden in each form of grace.

As o'er the silent crowd
 That sleep in band and shroud—
 Near a new grave some maiden vents her woe,
 So, lone as she, the rill
 Through woodlands bare and still
 Utters unseen its wailings drear and low.

We share in Nature's grief,
 And doubt and unbelief
 Gather like clouds o'er Faith's declining day;
 And faintly from the gloom,
 These whispers seem to come—
 "Hope not to live, when all things else decay."

Lo! far and near, the eye
 Sees nought but things that die;
 Each falling leaf but mocks our foolish trust,
 As when, by force upthrown
 To earth returns the stone—
 So Death draws Life, and dust returns to dust.

On dread Eternities
 Stretching like shoreless seas
 Our little life is but a tiny wave,
 A bubble brief and vain
 That, rising, sinks again,
 The dumb abyss its birthplace and its grave.

Grim fate our hope forbids:
 The hoary Pyramids
 As shifting sands shall o'er the desert range.
 Once in ten thousand years
 A star-world disappears;
 Art, Nature, all things yield to time and change.

To chide my musings drear,
 Hopeful and sweet and clear,
 Like Antiphus, a Redbreast spake in song,
 High o'er the naked wood
 The small apostle stood,
 Preaching his gospel to a faithless throng.

"Oh! not for aye," he said,
 "Shall earth lie cold and dead,
 Nor long shall winter hold his dismal reign,
 Take comfort, ye that mourn,
 For spring shall yet return
 To make our haunts all green and bright again."

So Faith, to souls beneath
 The sway of sin and death—
 Victims of vain pursuits and fiendish strife—
 Opens the gracious skies
 And shows our Father's prize,
 Peace, blessed Peace, and Life, eternal Life.

No more thick clouds o'erlie
 A dread Eternity,
 Time. Change and Death, thou, O my soul! defy'st,
 All precious things and pure,
 From Time and Change secure,
 Are treasured safe where sits the throned Christ.



GREVES, GRAVES, OR PREPOSITI.—The following list is given to shew the development of surnames, and also to indicate the landowners of three of the Graveships of Wakefield Manor. Gerefa is a Saxon word, and signifies power or authority. Sheriff and portreve contain the same root. Of the duties we cannot at present write.

HYPRON.	RASTRYK.	
1276 Hanne, prpos.	John de Rastrik	
1284 Henry, prpos.	John	
1285 Henry, le prepositus		
1288 " "		
1297 Plis.	Ric. ppm.	[Hyprom. Henry
1298 Wm. del Both	Adam ppm.	pps., Adam fil
1306 John fil Walter		John Molend,
elect pps.		fr. de Hanne,
1306 Roger fil Joh Molend		pps.
elect pps gave 2/-		The Hansons,
to be freed		Booths of Booth-
1306 John de Sunderland		town, Milners,
ditto		Hoyles, Symmes
1306 Adam fil & her Hen.		or Simpsons, &c.,
quoud. pps. $\frac{1}{4}$ mk		are descended
relief of 2 bovates		from these
1307 John de Stanchiff		worthies.]
1308 Simon del Dene	Henry fil John de	
	Rastrick	
1309 Simon		
1310 John de Stanchiffe	Ric del Wode de	
	Rastrick	
1311 John del Holewaye	Alx. del Wodehouse	
1311 John fil Walter de	Symon de Totehill	
Northowrom		

	HYPROM.	RASTRYK.	SKAMMYNDENE.
1312	Henry de Coppeley	Hen fil Petr.	[S'Cambodun-
1313	Roger		um.]
1314	Wm. and John de Sunderland		
1322		Henry fil John	
1324	Richard		
1326	Roger pps	Henry pps. patr. de Hen le Wain- wright	
1332	John		
1334	Wm. fil Thomas		
1335	Matthew de Ouen- dene	Henry by the Broke	
1336	Richd. del Hole	John de Rastrik	
1340	Wm. del Bothes	John fil Mathew de Totehill	
1342	John le Milner	God Robt.	
1343	John de Wales	Wm Stevenson	
1344	Richd. fil Jordan le Pynder	John atte Steele	
1345	John fil Simon Jud- son [see 1358.]	John fil Alexander	
1346	John fil Robert	Wm de Hepworth	
1348	John fil Wm. del Rode	John de Rastryk	
1349	Hen. fil Mathew	Roger Taillour de Rastryk	
1350	John de Whithill	John Rayner	
1351	John de Holway, (Hen fil Mathew, substitute)	Roger Cowhird	
1352	Richard Maunsel	John del Botherod	
1354	John de Holway	Roger Diconson	
1355	Hen. fil Mathew		
1356	John Wilkynson	John de Botheroide	
1357	John Strong	John de Botheroide	
1358	John Symson	Hugh fil Stephen	John de Gren-
1359	Robt. Hare, pro lo. suo, (substitute,) John Drake	John de Botheroide	wod
1360	Henre fil Mathew	John del Botherode	
1361	Ricus Maunsell	Roger Tayllour	
1362	NichusRyssheworth	John del Wode	John del Brig
1363	Roger Edeson		
1364	Robt. Hare	Hugh Steuenson	Cecilia de Wode- hed pro lo (sub) Rog. Edeson
1365	Henre Mathewson	Henry fil Stephen	

	HYPROM.	RASTRYK.	SKAMMYNDENE.
1368	John de Wyluby	John de Wodhouse	
1369	Elias de Northend	John del ffrith	John de Mekes- burgh
1370	John de Bratwhait	John de Totehill	Hen Sayvil
1371	John Boy	John de Totehill	
1372	John Symson	John del ffrith	
1373	John del Bothes	John de Wodehou- ses	
1374	Hen Mathewson	Hugh fil Stephen	Ric. del Heye
1376	Hen del Clyf	John del ffrith	John de Denton
1377	John del Bothe	John del ffrith	Ric. del Heye
1379		John Hanson	
1380	Richd. Mathewson, po lo Thos.deSidale pposit	Robert Bul	John Sayuille (po lo Thos. de Sidale
1382	John Jonson Simson (alias John Simson)	John Hanson	
1384	Cecilia Boie electa. po lo John Boie	Agnes ux John de Totehill po lo Robt Bul	Will fil John de Denton
1386	John Boy	Richard de Bothe- roide	Ric. del Hey
1387	John Symson	Alicia del Halle po lo John de Wode- house	Robt. del Hoile
1388	Robt. de Wolker	Hugo Stevenson	Henre del Hoile
1389	Ric. Symson	John de Shepelay	Will de Wodhede
1391	John de Wilby	John de Wodehous	Ric. del Heye
1392	Ric. Mathewson	John de Wodehous	Robt. del Brig
1393	John Boye	Thom del ffrith	Robt. del Hoile
1394	Willm de Haldeworth	John de ffrith	Wm. de Wodhede
1396		Hugh ffox	Henre del Hoile
1397	Robt. Johnson, (alias Rob. Jacson)	Robt atte Townend	Ric. del Heye
1398	John de Holleway	John Hanson	Henre del Hoile
1399	John del Bothes jun.	Thos del ffrith	Wm. de Wodde- hede
1400	John de Rysshworth po lo John de Wylby	Hugo de Totehill	Wm. de Denton
1401	Ric. Symson	Hugo de Totehill	Thos. del Heye
1402	John del Bothes	Cecilia Walker	Wm. Henryson de Stainland
1403	Wm. del Hoile	John Piper, capells	Thos. del ffrith
1404	John Boy	Robt atte Townend	
1405	Thomas Otes	John Hanson	
1406	Thomas del Cliff	Hugh ffox & Wm Alissandre	Thomas del Hey

	HYPROM.	RASTRYK.	SKAMMYNDENE.
1407	William Elysson	John de Wodhous	Robt. del Hoile
1408	Thos. Otes	John de Wodhous	Wm. de Wodhede
1409	Robt. Jonson	John ffryth	Wm. Wodhede
1410	Galfri Ward po lo John del ffryth	John ffryth	William Denton
1411	John Boy		
1412	John Brodeleghe po lo Robt. Jonson attorn	Rob Townend	Ric del Hey
1413	William de Hole, (Wm. del Hole ipi non est ppositus hocanno	Hugo ffox	Willm Wodhed
1414	John Simson	John Hanson	
1415	Robert Atkynson, (alias Robt. Wulf Kerr)	Thomas ffryth	
1416	John Boy	Hugh Totehill	Thos de ffryth
1417	John Haldeworth	Hugh Totehill	Thos. de Hey
1418	John Weloweby	Thomas Lynlay	Willm Wodhed
1419	Ric. Symson		John de Hoile
1420	John Boy	Thomas de ffryth	Willm Denton
1421	Henre Rischworth	Robert atte Toun- end	John Swyft
1422	Henre Stranne	Willm Alisannndre	Willm de Hole
1423	Willm Burgh & John Holloway, po lo Hen Stranne,	John Woodhouse	Thom Wodhed
1425	Robt. Johnson	Thomas ffryth	Wm Denton
1426	Wm. Bothe & John Bayrestowe	John Wodhed	Thomas Hey
1427	John Ryshworth	John Hanson	Thomas Hey
1428	Ricus Symson (John Otes)	Robert atte Toun- end	Thomas Wodhed
1429	John Bothe po lo Wm Bothe	Hugh Fox	John Hole
1430	Thomas Clyf & John Hole for 1 bovat, po lo Hen Strange	Thomas ffryth for a mes. & xxiiij acres	Wm Denton
1431	John Boy for mes & bov. in Hyporn	John Lynlay for mes. & xxiiij acres in totyll	Adam Bemond, for mes & xxx acres voc. Croftthouse
1432	John Oty	Hugh Totehill	John del Hey
1433	Thomas Clyf po lo Hen. Stranne	Hugh Tothill	John ffirth

	HYPROM.	RASTRYK.	SKAMMYNDENE.
1434	Wm. Burgh	Thomas frith	John Hoile
1435	Ric. Sundirlande	John Hanson	Wm Denton
1436	Henre Rysshworth	Robt attownend	Thomas Heye
1437	Wilhm de Boethes	Hugh ffox & Johna Alisaundre, po lo John attownend	Thos Heye
1438	Richard Symson	John Wodhous	Thomas Wodhed
1439	Robt. Wolleker	John Wodhous	John de Hoile
1440	John Otes	Thomas and John frith	Willm Denton
1441	John Hoile	John & Wm frith	John frith
1443	John Haldworth, Richard Sunderland & Margare mater, po lo Hen Strangge	Robt attownend	John Hey
1449	Henre Strannge	John attownend	John Hoile
1450	Wm. Burgh, John Oct.9 Steyncliffe & Wm. Holleway	Willm frith	Willm Denton
1454	John Ryshworth, senr., po lo John Scolefeld	John Wodhous po lo John ffryth	John Hoile
1458	John Boye	John Hanson	Robt Denton
1460	John Olys	John att Townend	John Hoile
1461	Wm. Burgh	John ffox	John ffryth
1462	Merioria Sunderland, Wm. Hollway & John Stanclyff, po lo John lume	Thos frith	Thos Denton
1463	Edmund Rysbworth	John lynlay	John Heye
1464	Richard Simmes & Ric. Haldeworth, po lo John lume	John atte Townend	John Hoile
1465	Wm. Boethes	Thomas Totehill	Wm Denton
1466	John Rydeing	Willm frith de Bouderoide	Ric Hey
1467	John Otes	John Hanson	Ric Hey
1468	John Boy	John Townende	Robt Denton
1469	Richd. Northende	John Fox and Ric Duke	John Hoyle
1470	Ric. Rokes de Our- ome	John Woodhouse	Willm Denton
1471	John Boye & John Otes, po lo John Rideynge	John Woodhouse	Thos Denton
1472	John Wilby	Thomas frith	John Hey

	HYPROM.	RASTRYK.	SKAMMYNDENE.
1473	Ric. Rookes de Roide- shall, po lo Thom ffryth	Thomas and Willm ffryth	John ffryth
1474	John Northend & John Boye	John Hanson	John Hoile
1475	Edmund Rysshworth & John Haldeworth	Robert Townend po lo Thom ffryth	Wm Denton
1476	Johna Northend, po lo John Haldeworth	Johna ffox po lo Thos Turton	Richd Hey
1477	Wm. Burgh, John Stanelyf & Johna Holway, po lo John Rydeyng	Johna ffox	Ric Hey
1478	John Ryssheworth	Thos ffryth	Robt Denton
1479	Ric. Rookes de Roid- shall	John lynlay	John Hoyle
1480	John Boy	Thos Totehill	Wm Denton
1481	[Edwds. Rysshe- worth] po lo Thos. ffirthe	Thos Totehill	Galfrid Denton
[1482	Ric. Boythes, and Thomas ffurness		

YORKSHIRE UNIVERSITY MEN.—In reply to the question as to the residences of Yorkshire University Men, asked on page 16, I suggest by way of correction—Fryton for Frittam, Sancton for Santon, Hollym for Holand, Farnley for Fauley, Braithwell for Breethwell. Stock is in the parish of Bracewell.

The personal names which would have helped me to identify these places are wanting in the case of the school boys, and I hesitate therefore to hazard a guess at their place of abode.

The Girlingtons possessed the Manor of Girlington, and the name of Ninian appears in the pedigree found on page 619 of Yorkshire Visitations, by Joseph Foster. J.S.—D.

Yorkshire M. P's.

From the earliest times down to the present, arranged in alphabetical order, with brief Biographical particulars. By the Rev. R. V. Taylor, B.A.

ABBOT.—Sir Maurice, Hull, 1620-'25-'27.

ABDY.—Sir Anthony Thos., Bart., Knaresbro', 1763-75. He was the eldest son of Sir Wm. Abdy, 4th Bart., by Miss Stotherd, only dau. & heiress of Philip Stotherd, Esq., of Terlington, co. Essex;—was a Barrister-at-Law, & King's Counsellor. He married Catharine Hamilton, a co-heir, & died without issue, April 7th, 1775; when the title passed to

his brother, Sir Wm. Abdy, 6th Bart., Captain R.N., who died March 4th, 1829—See the Baronetages, &c.

ABEL.—Richard, Richmond, 1719.

ACASTIE, John de, York, 1365-78. There was a John Acastie, Rector of Gargrave in 1441, and his son in 1507, &c.

ACCLOM, Robert de, Scarbro', 1369,-81, 1401,-5. Acelom, John de, Scarbro', 1373, 83, 88, 1400. Acelom, John (Aclom), Scarbro', 1421. Acelome, John, Scarbro', 1447,-50.

There was a John Acelome, rector of Kirk Deighton, from 1521 to 1582; and a Robert Aclom, vicar of South Kirkby in 1500. See also Tonge's Visitation, Surtees Soc. xli., p. 65; Poulson's Holderness, i, 334, 454; Foster's Visitations of Yorkshire, 109, 203; Harleian Soc. Yorkshire Visitation, 1564, vol. xvi., pp. 1, 368, &c.

AISLABIE, Wm., Ripon, 1719. Aislaby, Wm., jun., Ripon, 1727-80.

He served in six parliaments; was the son of the Right Hon. John Aislaby, and was born in 1700. He added Fountains Abbey to the Studley estate, and was for many years one of the auditors of His Majesty's Impost. He married (1) the Right Hon. Lady Elizabeth, dau. of John, Earl of Exeter, who died in 1733, aged 26; (2) Elizabeth, dau. of Sir Chas. Vernon, Knt., who died in 1780, aged 58. He died in 1781, aged 81, and was interred in Ripon Cathedral, where there is a tablet to his memory. There is an original portrait of him, three-quarters, standing; in possession of the Marquess of Ripon, which was at the Leeds Exhibition. See also Walbran's "Genealogical Account of the Lords of Studley Royal, &c.

AISLABY (or bie), John, Northallerton, 1702. Aislaby (or bie), John, Ripon, 1695-1719.

The Right Hon. John Aislaby, M.P., of Studley Park, Ripon, was born in 1671; became Chancellor of the Exchequer in 1718; First Lord of the Treasury, and Privy Councillor to George I.; was a Director of the South Sea Company; was compelled to resign, expelled the House of Commons, and committed to the Tower. He married Anne, dau. of Sir Wm. Rawlinson, and had issue, William, Mary, and Jane. He laid out Studley Royal; died June 18th, 1742, and was buried at Ripon Cathedral. There is a large full length portrait of him, standing to right, by Kneller, in possession of the Marquess of Ripon, which was at the Leeds Exhibition. See 2nd National Portrait Cat., No. 223; and also *Gent. Mag.* for 1742, p. 381; and Ingledew's "Hist. of Northallerton," p. 137, &c. He was the son of George Ayslaby, Principal Registrar of the Ecclesiastical Court at York, by Mary, eldest dau. of Sir Jas. Mallory, of Studley, nr. Ripon. He was slain in a duel, in Jan. 1674, by Sir Jonathan Jennings, of Ripon. See also Hargrove's

"History of York," 1818, vol. 1, pp. 200-1, &c. "Heywood's Diaries."

AKROYD, Edward, Huddersfield, 1857. Akroyd, Edward, Halifax, 1865-68.

For an account of whom, see "Notable Living Yorkshiremen," No. 15, in *The Yorkshireman*, vol. 3; Walford's County Families; Burke's "Landed Gentry;" and Foster's "Y. Ped." &c. He is the eldest son of the late Jonathan Akroyd, Esq., by Sarah, daughter of David Wright, Esq., of Bradshaw, nr. Halifax; was born in 1810; married (1838) Elizabeth, daughter of the late John Fearby, Esq., of Poppleton Lodge, co. York; is a J.P. and Deputy Lieutenant for the West Riding and patron of one living; President of the Halifax Chamber of Commerce, and Lieut.-Col. Commandant of the 4th West York Rifle Volunteers. Residence, Bank field, Halifax, &c.

ALANSON, Francis, Leeds, 1656; see Allanson, of whom a sketch is wanted.

ALDAM, Wm., Leeds, 1844. For an account of whom, see Burke's "Landed Gentry;" and Foster's "Yorkshire Pedigrees," &c. He was High Sheriff of Yorkshire in 1878.

ALDBURGH, Richard, Aldburgh, 1625-40. There was a John de Aldeburgh, rector of South Killington in 1328; a Humphrey de Aldeburgh, vicar of Aberford in 1319; and a John de Aldeburgh, rector of Rokeby, in 1380; and a Sir Rich. de Aldeburgh Judge of the Common Pleas, in 1343. See Harleian Soc. Yorkshire Visitation, 1564, vol. xvi., p. 2; Foster's "Visitations of Yorkshire," p. 279; General Harrison's "North Yorkshire," p. 508; Gill's "Easingwold," p. 443; and Jones's "History of Harewood," p. 37, &c.

ALDRED, John, Hull, 1585-6. There was an Aldred, Dean of York, in 1113. See also under *Aured*.

ALDWARKE, Galfrid, York, 1332. See also Hunter's "South Yorkshire," vol. ii., p. 52, &c.

ALFORD, John, Hedon, 1588. Alford, Lancelot, Beverley, 1588. Alford, Edward, Beverley, 1592. Alford, William, Beverley, 1625-28.

There was a Wm. Alford, High Sheriff of Yorkshire, in 1618. See also, Foster's Visitations of Yorkshire, p. 486; Collectanea Topographica et Genealogica, iv., 177; and Poulson's History of Holderness, ii., 315, &c.

ALLANSON, Charles, Ripon, 1768. Allanson, William, York, 1640. See also above Alanson; and Dugdale's Visitation, Surtees Society, xxxvi., p. 230; Paver's York Pedigrees, p. 7; and Burke's Landed Gentry, 2nd edition, &c.

ALLERTON, John de, York, 1362. There was a Wm. de Allerton, Abbot of Fountains in 1252, &c.

ALLURED, THOMAS, Hull, 1557-59. Allured, Thomas, Hedon, 1628-40. See also under Alured.

ALNEWYK, Robert de, York, 1393. There was a Wm. de Alnwick, Prebendary of York, 1421-26; and Bishop of Norwich, 1426-36.

ALURED, John, (or Aldred), Hull, 1584-5. Alured, John, York, 1640; Alured, Matthew, Hedon, 1658. See also above under Allured, and the first No. of these Yorkshire Notes and Queries, pp. 6-12. See also Foster's *Visitations of Yorkshire*, p. 144; and Foster's *Collectanea Genealogica* (M.P.'s. England), p. 39, &c.

JOHN ALURED.—A Gray's Inn lawyer, son of Henry Alured, of Hull; was born in 1607; M.P. for Hedon in the Long Parliament; served under Fairfax as a Colonel in the Parliamentarian Army, and in 1643 took Goring prisoner. He signed the death warrant of King Charles I., and died before the Restoration, having retired to Beverley, where he had some property, which was subsequently confiscated by attainer.

ALVEY, William, York, 1413-15.

ALVERTHORPE, THOS. de, York, 1311. There was a John de Alverthorpe, vicar of Hooton Pagnell, nr. Doncaster, in 1306.

AMBLER, Charles, Boroughbridge, 1780. See also Foster's *Lincolnshire Pedigrees*, &c.

AMYAS, Robert, York, 1478. There was also a Robert Amyas, Vicar of Peniston, in 1498.

Amys, Thomas, Thirsk, 1563. See also *Harleian Society*, vol. xiii., p. 19, &c.

ANCRAM, Charles, Earl of Thirsk, 1660. Ancram, Wm. Earl of Richmond, 1747-61. The Earl of Ancram is the eldest son of the Marquess of Lothian. The first Earl of Ancram was one of the confidential friends of Charles I. For an account of the 4th and 5th Marquess of Lothian, see the *Peerage*, &c.

ANDERSON, Evelyn, Beverley, 1780. See also Foster's *Collectanea Genealogica* (M.P.'s. England), p. 46, &c.

ANLABIE, John, Scarbro', 1647. He was a native of Scarbro' and one of the persons named as judges of Charles I. He attended the trial but one day; and did not sign the death-warrant. He was chosen Senior Bailiff of Scarbro' in 1653. and was elected one of the Eight County Members for Yorkshire in 1653. He married Dorothy, daughter of Sir Matthew Boynton, Knt. See also Baker's *History of Scarbro'*, &c.

ANLABY, John, Yorkshire, 1653. Anlaby, John, Beverley, 1658-9.

Thomas de Anlaby was rector of Kirkby-Overblow, 1387-94, and of Spofforth in 1404. See also Dugdale's *Visitation*,

Surtees Society, p. 334; Foster's Visitations of Yorkshire, pp. 122-3, 486; and Poulson's History of Beverley, vol. i., p. 393.

ANLABY, John de, Beverley, 1298.

ANSON, George, Hedon, 1744-46.

ANTROBUS, Gibbs C., Aldborough, 1820. See also Burke's "Landed Gentry," &c.

APPELTON, John de, York, 1313-14. There was a Wm. Appilton, Rector of Burnsal in 1411; a Wm. Apilton, Prebendary of York in 1493; and a Robert Appylton, Prebendary of York, 1408-18, &c. See also "Burke's Visitations of Seats," &c.

APPLEBY, Nic. de, York, 1335. There was a John de Appleby in 1367, and Archdeacon of Carlisle, 1370; a Robert de Appelby, Sub-Dean of York, 1315-25; and a Wm. de Appelby, Vicar of Doncaster, in 1355, &c. See also Dugdale's Visitation, p. 209; Foster's Visitations of Yorkshire, p. 487; General Harrison's North Yorkshire, p. 466, &c.

APPLEYARD, John, Hedon, 1661. Appleyard, Matthew, Hedon, 1688. There was a Wm. Appleyard, vicar of High Hoyland in 1615, &c. See also Foster's Visitations of Yorkshire, p. 146; and Poulson's Holderness, vol. ii, p. 364, &c.

AQUILER, Thomas de, York, 1304-10.

ARDEN, Rd. Pepper, Aldbro', 1784-88, afterwards Sir, Master of the Rolls, and Lord Alvanley. He was the son of John Arden, who by his marriage with Mary, daughter of Cutlbert Pepper, Esq., of Pepper Hall, in Yorkshire, had two sons, of whom he was the younger. He was born in 1745, and educated at Trinity College, Cambridge, being seventh wrangler in 1766, when he took his B.A. degree; and in 1769 was elected Fellow of his College, when he proceeded M.A. His application did not prevent him from joining in society; and in the True Blue Club, as well as in his College, his gaiety and good humour gained him the favour of his fellow-students. By the heads of the house he was no less respected, and was intrusted by them with the revision of their Statutes. Called to the bar in 1769, he took his seat in the Court of Chancery, and alluding to the practice of the time, joined the Northern Circuit. At a very early period he was appointed Recorder of Macclesfield, and in 1776, when he had been scarcely seven years at the bar, he was constituted one of the Judges in the South Wales Circuit. He was afterwards appointed Solicitor and Attorney General. For the new Parliament of May, 1784, Mr. Arden was returned Member for Aldborough, in Yorkshire; and in those of 1790 and 1796, he represented Hastings and Bath respectively. In all the Parliaments he was a frequent and effective, though not a brilliant speaker. In June, 1788, he was made Master of the Rolls, and in May, 1801, Chief Justice of the Common

Pleas. He died March 19th, 1804, and was buried in the Chapel of the Rolls.

ARMYTAGE, Sir John, Bart., York, 1754. He was the eldest son of Sir Samuel Armytage, who was created a Baronet, July 4th, 1738, and died in 1747, having been High Sheriff of Yorkshire in 1740. Sir John, the second Bart. of the new creation of Kirklees, served as a Volunteer against the French at Cherbourg and St. Malo, and was slain at St. Cas, in September, 1758. Dying unmarried, the title devolved upon his brother, Sir George, 3rd Bart. See also Hailstone's "Yorkshire Portraits," No. 139, &c.

ARMYTAGE, Sir George, Bart., York, 1761. This Sir George, was the brother of the above Sir John Armytage. He married in 1760, Anna Maria, eldest daughter of co-heiress of Godfrey Wentworth, Esq., of Woolley Park and Hickleton, co. York. Sir George died in 1783, having been High Sheriff of Yorkshire in 1775, and was succeeded by his eldest son, Sir George, 4th Bart., D.C.L., &c. See also Dugdale's Visitation, pp. 25, 251; Burke's Landed Gentry; Foster's Yorkshire Pedigrees; Foster's Visitations of Yorkshire, p. 488; Thoresby's Duc. Leod., p. 88; Hunter's South Yorkshire, p. 210; Jackson's History of Barnsley, p. 150; Turner's Capt. Hodgson; and Betham's Baronetage, vol. iii., p. 228, &c.

ARNALD, Gilbert de, York, 1299. John de Arnall was rector of Leathley, in 1368, and Richard Arnall was Prebendary of York in 1418-38, &c.

ARTHINGTON, Henry, Pontefract, 1645. Arthington, Henry, Yorkshire, 1656. Arthington, Henry, Ripon, 1660. Arthington, Henry, Aldbro', 1678. Arthington, Cyril, Aldbro', 1700. Henry Arthington, Esq., of Nottingham, was the son and heir of Wm. Arthington, who married Mary, daughter of Ferdinand, Lord Fairfax, of Denton, and had issue, Henry, who died without issue in 1681, when he was succeeded by Cyril Arthington, Esq., who generously erected a stately monument in black and white marble, for his kinsman and predecessor, which is the more grateful as the only one of so ancient a family. The following is a translation of the Latin inscription:—Sacred to the memory of Henry Arthington, (who) consulting for his ancient family and name, appointed Cyril, his kinsman and namesake, the heir of his property. He made a monument with a grateful mind, to the memory, not about to die, of his dearest relative and most munificent benefactor. He died February 22, in the year 1681." For their pedigree, &c., see Thoresby's "Duc. Leod." p. 7; and also Jones's "History of Harewood," pp. 233-6, &c.

John Arthington was Vicar of Maltby in 1527; and Thomas Arthington was High Sheriff of Yorkshire in 1767.

Cyril Arthington, Esq., F.R.S., was in the Commission of the Peace in the West Riding of the County of York; and is represented by Thoresby, in 1712,—“as having then lately erected a noble Hall at Arthington, near Leeds, and furnished it with water conveyed in pipes of lead, from an engine by him contrived at his mill upon the river Wharfe; being an ingenious gentleman, and well seen (or read) in hydrostatics.” He also erected a stately monument in Adel Church, for his first cousin, Henry Arthington, Esq., who died in 1681, and to whose estates he succeeded as next heir. He was elected a Fellow of the Royal Society in 1701, and died without issue in 1720. He devised his estate to his brother Sandford Arthington, M.D., and his heirs male, &c. See also “Leeds Worthies,” pp. 163, 295; Foster’s “Visitations of Yorkshire,” p. 272; “Herald and Genealogist,” vi. 132; “Harleian Soc. Yorkshire Visitation,” xvi., 7; and Foster’s *Stemmata Britannica*, 1877, p. 44, &c.

ARUNDEL, Robert, Hull, 1452,-5,-9.

ARUNDEL, Hon. Richard, Knaresbro’, 1722-58, of Allerton Mauleverer, F.R.S., Master of the Mint, and Lord of the Treasury, served in six parliaments. See also *Collect. Topog. et Geneal.* i, 306, 316; vi., 16; *Gent. Mag.*, 1829, ii, 215; 1833, ii, 498; *Topographer and Genealogist*, ii., 312-339; iii., 240-255, &c. There are 9 or 10 Arundels among the Yorkshire Clergy.

ASHILL, Thomas, Knaresbro’, 1557.

ASHLEY, Francis, Scarbro’, 1555. Ashley, Thomas, Borough-bridge, 1563. Ashley, Lord, Hull, 1857.

James Clay, 2365; Lord Ashley, 2303; Lord Compton, 1392.

Anthony Ashley Cooper, Lord Ashley, R.N., was the eldest son of the late Earl of Shaftesbury; was born June 27, 1831; married, August 22, 1857, Harriet, only daughter of the Marquess of Donegal; and succeeded as Earl of Shaftesbury, in October, 1885. See the “Pedigrees,” &c.

ASKEW, John, Yorkshire, 1592. Askew, Sir Wm., Thirsk, 1681. See also *Burke’s Landed Gentry*; *Foster’s Lancashire Pedigrees*; *Raine’s Durham*; and *Hodgson’s Northumberland*, &c.

ASKHAM, John de, York, 1301,-7,-25. There was a Richard Askham, Vicar of Scarbro’, in 1397; a Roger de Askham, Prebendary of York, 1559-68; Fellow of St. John’s College, Cambridge, and Public Orator, 1546 (also Ascham); and an Anthony Askham, M.D., Rector of Methley, in 1552, &c.

ASKWITH, Roger, York, 1576, 1614,-20. Askwith Robert, York, 1588, 1603. See also *Foster’s Visitations of Yorkshire*, pp. 211, 487; and *Paver’s York Pedigrees*, p. 8, &c.

ATKINSON, Christopher, Hedon, 1780. Atkinson, Sav. Chris., Hedon, 1796. See also Dugdale's Visitation, p. 364; Foster's Visitations of Yorkshire, p. 489; Thoresby's Duc. Leod., p. 76; and Whitaker's Craven, 3rd Edit., p. 256, &c.

ATTWOOD, Matthew, Boroughbridge, 1830, died Nov. 11, 1851.

AUGUBER, Thomas, York, 1359.

AULDSTANMORE, John, York, 1424, -28.

AUMEREY, John del, Scarbro', 1352.

AUMERYS, John de, Scarbro', 1372.

AYSCOUGH, William, Thirsk, 1645. There was a Robert Ayscough, Vicar of Campsall in 1443; and a Sir William Ayscough, Justice of the Common Pleas in 1448, &c., of Osgodby, nr. Thirsk, was an active magistrate, and had much influence in Thirsk during the Commonwealth. He was elected along with Thomas Lassels, in place of John Bellasis and Sir Thomas Ingram, Knt., who were disabled by the judgment of the House to sit in that Parliament. See also Dugdale's Visitation, pp. 147, 153, 342; Paver's York Pedigrees, p. 10; Clarkson's Richmond, p. 252; Gent. Mag., 1830, ii. 594; Fisher's Hist. of Masham, p. 297; and Foster's Lincolnshire Pedigrees, &c.

Additional names, with brief particulars, would be gladly received; as they will be most useful for biographical and literary purposes, &c.



THE REV. WM. ATKINSON AND HIS SERMONS.—The Rev. Wm. Atkinson, M.A., or "Parson Atkinson," as he was generally called, was the "afternoon man" at the Parish Church, Bradford, and held that position from 1784 to the time of his death in 1846, a period of sixty-two years. (For a long account of whom, with portrait, see these "*Y. N. & Q.*," part I., pp. 13-15.) Mr. Atkinson was a man of herculean build, and of singular strength of mind as well as of body. As his duties only required his attendance at Bradford on Sunday afternoons, it is said that he walked from Thorparch, where he resided, to his town residence at Bradford on Saturday, and walked back again on Monday. It is also said that he kept his sermons in two small barrels, and each sermon he delivered he deposited in the other barrel, which in turn was upset into the empty vessel, so that in the course of time the sermons appeared as fresh as ever to his hearers. This Wm. Atkinson was the son of the Rev. Chrstr. Atkinson, rector of Thorparch, and brother to the Rev. Miles Atkinson, minister of St. Paul's, Leeds. He was the author of a volume of "Poems," &c., and during his long residence at Bradford enjoyed the esteem of the inhabitants. He

died Sept. 30th, 1846, in his 89th year. His three elder brothers were all wranglers, an unexampled instance, we believe, and he came out in the honour list. The Rev. Thos. Atkinson, M.A., of Green House, Mirfield, nr. Dewsbury, who was incumbent of Hartshead, from 1815 to 1866, over fifty years, died at Mirfield, Feb. 28th, 1870, in the 90th year of his age. He was the last surviving son of the late Rev. Miles Atkinson, M.A., founder of St. Paul's Church, Leeds, and brother of the above William. From the forthcoming "Yorkshire Anecdotes," Second Series, by the Rev. R. V. Taylor, B.A.

ATKINSON.—The father of the Rev. William Atkinson, on his induction at Thorparch, makes the following entry in the Registers:—"1749 June 12, Chr. Atkinson, Clerk, initiated Vicar and inducted July 4th, born in the parish of Windermere, County of Westmoreland." He would be, I conceive, a connexion of the Hastings family, as was his predecessor, the Rev. Chrstr. Wetherherd, whose wife Deborah Hastings was fourth or fifth cousin of Lady Elizabeth Hastings, the patroness of the living. A Rev. Tho. Atkinson was Minister of Sledmere and Langtoft, Vicar of Reighton, and appointed to Filey in Jan., 1809, his son William, late of Dissington, Cumberland, having lost his life in a snow storm at Bissrow nook on the Wolds the January previous. G.W.W.

Mr. Scruton does not seem to be acquainted with Atkinson's Volume of Poetry (see Stephen's Biog. Dict.), and the two volumes of "Bagatelles," relating to the trio of the sketch. H.

SLEE.—"1796, Nov. 10, Jonathan Slee, clerk, a Batchelor, and a native of Yorkshire, aged about 30 years," buried, Bixley Parish Register, Norfolk. Was he a relative of Rev. Isaac Slee, Baptist Minister, Haworth?

HANSON'S HISTORY OF LIVERSEDGE MANOR.—This manuscript history of Liversedge, written by the learned Antiquary, Hanson of Rastrick, about three centuries ago, has been brought to light at the Bodleian Library, Oxford, and a copy has been secured by Mr. Peel, of Heckmondwike. The original Latin charters are interspersed with genealogical notes, evidently intended for use at a great law-suit concerning the manorial rights. The *de* Liversedge, Rayner and Hanson families are largely dealt with, and the lordships' rights, held by the Neviles and Knights of Jerusalem, traced. William, son of John Liversedge, had a daughter Alice. She was sole heiress and married John Rayner of the ancient family long resident at Birstall and Hartshead. She was a widow 22 Henry VIII., and a Hanson eventually married the heiress of one of her descendants, though the male line was far from being extinct. Do any contemporary documents assist in elucidating the earliest pedigree of the Liversedges? About 1800 lived William, son of Richard *de*

Liversedge; and earlier still Thomas [de Liversedge] filius Hugonis filius Huctred. Jordan de Insula and Rich. de Popes are witnesses.

G.

ELLIN FAMILY.—Thomas Ellin, of Sheffield, married 3dly, 28 January, 1771, Ann, daughter of—Heather, of—. On the 19th June, 1773, they “went to [? reside at] Torksey—Mr. Tayer house,” co. Lincoln. They had a daughter, Ann, born in the parish of St. Martin’s, Lincoln, 14 December, 1773, and bapt. there the same day. Ann Ellin, née Heather, died on the 24th, and was interred at St. Martin’s, on the 26th December, 1773. Thomas Ellin went to board at Mr. Egglestone’s, 5 January, 1774. John Egglestone died 16 August, 1781. “October ye 6, 1782, naucey [Ann] Ellin wente to boarde with Mrs. Cambell, at Lincoln.” Thomas Ellin died at Fenton, in the parish of Kettlethorpe, 2 Sept., and [“Mr. Thomas Allin”] was buried at St. Martin’s, Lincoln, on the 4th September, 1786. His will, dated 11 August, 1785, mentions property at Fenton, “to my daughter Ann,” with remainder “to William Ellin, my grandson.” Exors. “my Sister-in-Law, Mrs. Dinah Egglestone,” Mr. John Healey, of Gainsborough, gent., “my son John Ellin, and my friend John Sykes, of Brincliffe.” In order that I may make my “notes” respecting this family more complete, I very much wish to ascertain where the above marriage was solemnized. I find no record of it at Norton, Sheffield, Kettlethorpe, or St. Martin’s, Lincoln; possibly it might have taken place at Torksey or Gainsborough. I also desire information respecting Ann Heather* (a name, I think, not very common in Yorkshire), and her daughter, Ann Ellin, who is said to have married a Dr. Harnew.

Information about any of the above mentioned, or Ellins in general, will be gratefully received.

Saltaire, Yorks.

T. W. SKEVINGTON.

TEESDALE.—I shall be glad if any one will give me information respecting the family of Teesdale. The arms borne by this family are—Arg. a thistle proper between three pheons az. Information may be sent direct to me.

R. H. TEASDEL.

32, Southtown, Gt. Yarmouth.

FOSTER.—I am very anxious to discover the parentage of Mr. Jonathan Foster, who was buried at Kipping Chapel, Thornton in Bradford-dale, in February, 1818, aged 88 years. The Thornton Church Registers for 1729 are totally omitted in the old book there, which was most disgracefully kept. The Kipping Register for that year is not at Somerset House.—Ed.

LORD FREDERICK CAVENDISH.—Lord Frederick Charles Cavendish, the second son of the present Duke of Devonshire, was born November 30th, 1836. He entered Parliament as Member

* Is it a misreading for “Heather”?—Ed.



LORD FREDERICK CAVENDISH.

for North-West Riding of Yorkshire in 1865, and until the 6th of May, 1882, a day that tragically ended his most useful life, he laboured most assiduously for the constituency.

Lord Frederick was born at Compton Place, Eastbourne, on the 30th of November, 1836. His father, William, Earl of Burlington, had married Lady Blanche Howard, daughter of the sixth Earl of Carlisle. Lord Burlington devoted himself much to the teaching of his three sons, and they were educated entirely at home, until as a preparation for the University, they were placed for a short time with a private tutor.

Frederick Cavendish went to Trinity College, Cambridge, in October, 1854, and took the degree of Senior Optime in January, 1858. Those who were the best judges anticipated for him a place among the Wranglers; but the lower distinction was accounted for by some failure of health, and the shock of hearing, when going into the final examination, of the death of the late Duke of Devonshire, with whom Lord Burlington and his family had always been on affectionate and intimate terms.

After leaving Cambridge, he travelled for ten months in the United States, and his letters, written at the time, show the keen interest he took in the political, economic, and agricultural condition of America. He imbibed at this time strong Federal principles. From early childhood he showed a political bent, dating from the Corn Law agitation, which he used to say was the first political question that interested him.

Shortly after his return home, Lord Frederick became Private Secretary to his kinsman, Lord Granville, then Lord President of the Council, whom he accompanied on a tour in Spain, in the autumn of 1860.

On June 7th, 1864, he married Lucy Caroline, second daughter of Lord Lyttelton, and niece by marriage of Mr. Gladstone. This connection was the means of drawing him into very close intimacy and friendship with Mr. Gladstone, for whom he had already a deep admiration. In the following year he entered Parliament, being returned with Sir Francis Crossley, Bart., unopposed, for the newly constituted Northern Division of the West Riding of Yorkshire, July 15, 1865.

Connected by strong family ties with the West Riding, which his uncle, Lord Morpeth, had long represented, Lord Frederick had, previous to this occasion, shown his interest in its welfare by speeches in November, 1864, at Bradford and Halifax, on Educational subjects.

In his Election address, he declared himself in favour of Reform in Parliament, of the Abolition of Church Rates, and of increased economy in National Expenditure.

On the opening of Parliament in February, 1866, Lord Frederick was called upon to move the Address; and in May he made his first speech in Parliament, on the subject of the Redistribution of Seats.

He now entered on active political life in London, but he never ceased to take the warmest interest in the local concerns of his constituency, especially with regard to the improvement of the working-classes, and their claim to education and representation, while he was no less zealous on commercial and manufacturing questions. He constantly attended Agricultural meetings, Soirees of Mechanics' Institutes, Working-men's Clubs, and Chambers of Commerce, and took a growing interest in all economic subjects.

In 1868, his election address turned chiefly on the Irish Church, and he expressed himself in the following words: "As a Protestant and a member of the Church of England, I feel that nothing can be more detrimental to the cause of true religion than the present political state of the Church in Ireland, and as I believe that the time is past in which any modifications could render it acceptable to the Irish people, I am in favour of its total disestablishment." In these words, among the first in which he publicly referred to Ireland, we have the key-note of the policy which, throughout his life, he advocated; namely, the desire to treat Ireland with equal justice, with true sympathy, and with regard to the wishes of her people. It was always with the greatest pain and reluctance, and only on grounds of the gravest necessity, that he voted for exceptional repressive measures; and in 1882 he strongly supported Ministers in dropping the "Coercion" Act proper, and in substituting the measure for strengthening the ordinary law, afterwards known as the Crimes Act.

He steadily opposed the Disestablishment of the Church in England.

Much of Lord Frederick's time being now necessarily spent in London, he consented in April, 1869, on Mr. Goschen's nomination, to act as a Poor Law Guardian for the Strand Union, and he held this office until the increasing demands of Parliament on his time obliged him to give it up.

In November, 1869, we find him, as President of the Council of the Yorkshire Board of Education, speaking at Leeds at a meeting summoned to consider the advisability of establishing in Yorkshire a College of Science. This important undertaking owed its origin to Dr. Heaton, of Leeds, who for many years devoted much time and labour to its promotion. Lord Frederick had long felt the need of promoting among the manufacturing classes technical and scientific instruction, so as to enable them to compete more successfully with the foreigner; and we have in this meeting the germ of the now important and flourishing Yorkshire College. A committee for promoting the establishment of the College was then appointed, of which Lord Frederick was elected chairman. It frequently met at Leeds, Bradford, and at its chairman's house in London. Thanks to

the untiring efforts of Dr. Heaton, Sir Andrew Fairbairn, and other leading Yorkshiremen, funds were gradually got together, and in 1874 the College was launched on its career in a temporary building at Leeds. Lord Frederick was elected as the first President, and never ceased to take an active interest in its welfare.

In November, 1871, Lord and Lady Frederick visited the West Indies, dividing their time between Jamaica, Santa Cruz, Barbados, S. Lucia and S. Vincent, and returning to England in February, 1872. It was in that year that Mr. Gladstone appointed Lord Frederick as his Private Secretary, and in August, 1873, he became a Lord of the Treasury.

In January, 1874, Parliament was dissolved, and Lord Frederick for the first time had a contest for his seat. He and Mr. Mathew Wilson stood against Mr. Powell and Mr. Fison. The elections went generally against the Liberals, who were much divided upon educational and other questions, accordingly the Liberal majority in the North-West Riding was not large, the numbers being :

Lord F. C. Cavendish—	8,681.
Mr. M. Wilson—	8,598.
Mr. F. S. Powell—	7,820.
Mr. W. Fison—	7,725.

During the years that followed, while the Conservatives were in office, Lord Frederick occupied much of his time in business connected with the large manufacturing town of Barrow-in-Furness, where he was a Director of the Iron and Steel Co., and of the Railway; also in matters relating to the Yorkshire College, and other useful local institutions. He became a Governor of both Sedbergh and Giggleswick Grammar Schools under their revised and enlarged constitution, taking especial interest in these Schools, which were among the first dealt with by the Endowed Schools Commission, of which his father-in-law, Lord Lyttelton was chairman.

The election of 1880 is never likely to be forgotten in the North-West Riding. Lord Frederick and Sir Mathew Wilson again had to contest their seats, against Messrs. Powell and Lister. On this occasion the whole Liberal party were unanimous, the election turning mainly on the Eastern Question, and on the extension of Household Suffrage to the counties. Lord Frederick's majority was 3678, Sir Mathew's, 3592.

When Mr. Gladstone was recalled to office, he offered Lord Frederick the post of Financial Secretary to the Treasury, accompanying the offer with an expression of the strongest confidence in him. He said that without such help as he could rely on Lord Frederick affording him, he could not, at that moment, have undertaken the double responsibility of the Chancellorship of the Exchequer and of the Premiership.

As the duties of the Government became more and more heavy and anxious, Mr. Gladstone depended more and more on Lord Frederick for the details of the work of the Exchequer, and during the two years in which he held his office at the Treasury, Lord Frederick acquired a high reputation for financial capacity, scrupulous conscientiousness, and unremitting diligence; while his invariable gentleness and courtesy won the hearts of all who came in contact with him.

Although the Irish difficulties hardly affected him directly as Secretary to the Treasury, yet owing to various circumstances he took a strong personal interest in Ireland, and from the outset of his political life supported every measure which aimed at remedying grievances and removing injustices. The Duke of Devonshire, well known as an excellent and popular landlord, was in the habit of spending four or five weeks every year at his Irish seat, Lismore Castle, Co. Waterford, and was always accompanied by some of his family. Lord and Lady Frederick had thus paid five visits to Lismore. In 1875 he served on the Factory Commission, and his duties took him to the North of Ireland in the autumn of that year. He also visited Dublin twice on business connected with the Treasury, in October, 1881, and at Easter, 1882. Although, therefore, his appointment as Chief Secretary for Ireland was unexpected and caused some surprise, there were strong grounds for it, and it was highly approved of by all who knew him officially.

It was with a deep and painful sense of the enormous difficulties involved that he accepted the post,—never allowing personal considerations to weigh for a moment against the call of duty, but only distrustful of his own strength to deal with what lay before him. He was cheered and encouraged by Mr. Gladstone's boundless confidence in him, and also by the thought that he would serve under his kinsman and friend—Lord Spencer, with whom he was in the closest agreement on the Irish question.

Though the dark and desperate plot already hatched, and aimed repeatedly at Mr. Forster, was not then realized by the public mind in England, no higher proof could have been given of that moral courage and sense of duty which ever actuated Lord Frederick, than his acceptance of what was undoubtedly at that time the most critical post in the whole Administration—the post emphatically of honour and of danger.

The story of the swift and terrible tragedy that followed on Saturday, May 6th, need not be told in detail. The numbed sense of horror, grief and pain, that fell upon London,* as late

* And upon the country generally, and West Riding in particular. Never can we forget the excruciating agony of the Sunday and Monday of May 7th and 8th, 1882. The expulsion of the Irish *en masse* from Brighouse, and

on the Saturday night and early on Sunday morning the news was spread abroad, will not soon be forgotten even by those who were not bound by any special tie to Lord Frederick Cavendish.

Not for months afterwards were the whole tragical details laid bare, and the perpetrators brought to justice, thanks to the infinite skill and patience with which the investigations of the authorities were conducted. Thus much only we may now recal.

On arriving in Dublin early on Saturday morning to be sworn into office simultaneously with Lord Spencer, Lord Frederick, after the ceremony, at once entered into consultation with the Lord Lieutenant, Mr. Burke, and Mr. Naish, the Law Adviser, upon the clauses of the measure then being framed for the Prevention of Crime, which afterwards passed into law.

After more than three hours thus spent in hard work, Lord Frederick set out alone to walk to the Vice-Regal Lodge where he was to dine and sleep, the Chief Secretary's Lodge not being prepared for his arrival. He went on foot and alone, being fond of exercise, and doubtless desirous of an opportunity for quiet thought.

Mr. Burke, leaving the Castle soon after on a car, overtook Lord Frederick within the gates of the Phoenix Park, and joined him, dismissing the car. A little further on the murderers were lying in wait for Mr. Burke. For Lord Frederick they were unprepared—(in fact his arrival in Dublin, having been hurriedly decided upon within two days of his appointment, was not generally known), and they were ignorant who he was. Mr. Burke was attacked and savagely stabbed. Lord Frederick might have saved himself by flight, but he bravely attempted to defend his friend, though with no better weapon than his umbrella, and after driving one of the ruffians some paces off into the road, fell pierced by many wounds. It was about 7-20, p.m.

Lord Spencer, who rode from the Castle into the Park, had reached the Vice-Regal Lodge. His first knowledge of what had happened was brought by a man who ran screaming into the garden.

When the bodies were found, Lord Frederick's countenance, in its untroubled placidity, testified to the painlessness of his gallant death.

other places, was but a feeble demonstration of the indignation that burned within every Yorkshireman's breast, and it was well for the Celt that he made himself scarce. The forgiving spirit of the noble Lord's relatives, and especially a letter penned by Lady Frederick, tended much to subdue the popular desire for revenge, and the sympathy of all classes was unbounded.—*Ed.*

On Monday the House of Commons met in gloom and in silence. Mr. Gladstone spoke of the double tragedy in tones that even his long habit of self-mastery could hardly command, as he uttered his noble and touching tribute to the character and memory of his friend.

Nor will the funeral soon be forgotten, least of all by the two or three hundred Members of Parliament who attended it. The bright and sunny day seemed at variance with all the signs of mourning, when amidst the most heartfelt demonstrations from far and wide, the body was laid to rest in the Churchyard of Edensor, near Chatsworth.

Great indeed, and abiding, is the loss to the country of one so able, so high-minded, and so devoted to the public good; yet not entirely without compensation if his example may lead others to emulate the same lofty standard of private and political life and action.

[Of the Memorials erected by the Yorkshire tenants and the North-West Yorkshire Constituency at Bolton Abbey we need not write. Our portrait is from the last one his Lordship had taken; and was supplied to the *Graphic* by the London Stereoscopic Co. There are a few copies in oil in the district, and a well-executed chromo-lithograph by Mr. Alfred Cooke, of Leeds, was issued as a wall-almanack, and now adorns many cottages. A paper on the Cavendish Family in Yorkshire is promised for an early number of our Quarterly.]



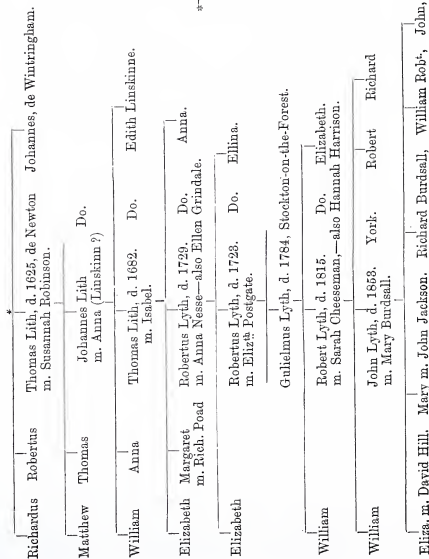
THE LYTHS, OF NEWTON PICKERING.—It is a curious fact that the surname of Lyth is almost entirely confined to the North and East Ridings of Yorkshire. As early as 1450, the name was found in Whitby, Scarborough, Beverley, Gilling, and other places. Before this period it was found on the East coast of Scotland from Berwick to Caithness. In 1333, William de Lith is included in a list of 80 noblemen and others, receiving letters of protection from Edward III. The Lyths of Yorkshire probably represent different families, of which the head, took his name from Lyth near Whitby, but there is strong reason to believe that the Lyths of Newton are of Scotch origin, especially as they appear to have succeeded to the possession of certain lands originally owned by the Bruces. The following sketch is confirmed by the Pickering Parish Registers, and a number of wills in the York Diocesan office; but the first three links require confirmation.

Johannes Leyth de Seardeburgh, d. 1485.

Robertus Leyth

Thomas Lyth, d. 1562, de Newton

Gulielmus Lyth, d. 1597, de Newton



[RICHARD BURDSALL LYTH, of York, was one of the first Wesleyan Methodist Missionaries to Fiji, and translated the whole of the Poetical Scriptures, and some other portions of the Bible, into the native dialect. He also published—"What shall we read, or the Oracle consulted; a Manual of reference for Bible Readers." Longman & Co., London, 1869. He lived to see the abominations of heathenism utterly abolished, and the whole population Christianised.

WILLIAM ROBERT LYTH, his brother, was a bookseller at York, and author of a poem in four books, published anonymously by W. Allan, London, 1854.

THE REV. JOHN LYTH, D.D., the youngest brother, is still living. He has been more than forty years a Wesleyan Minister, for some time was Superintendent of the Wesleyan Missions in Germany. We have pleasure in presenting our readers with a steel portrait of Dr. Lyth, kindly lent by the Wesleyan Book Society. A more recent portrait may be had from Mr. Appleton, Bradford. He is the author of the popular hymn:

"There is a better world, they say."

"Wild Flowers, or a selection of original poetry, edited by J. Lyth and W. Morley Punshon." London: Hamilton & Co., 1843.

"The Living Sacrifice, or a Biographical Notice of Sarah Bentley, of York." York: W. R. Lyth, 1848. Five editions were subsequently issued by the Wesleyan Book-room.

"Sermon on Divine Decrees." London, 1858.

Other sermons appear in the Methodist Magazine.

"The Blessedness of Religion in Earnest; a memorial of Mrs. Mary Lyth, of York." London Book Society, 1861. 291 pages.

"Zions-Harfe."—A collection of Hymns for the use of the German Methodist Societies. Winnenden, 1863.

"Kleine Lieder für Kleine Leute." Winnenden, 1863-4.

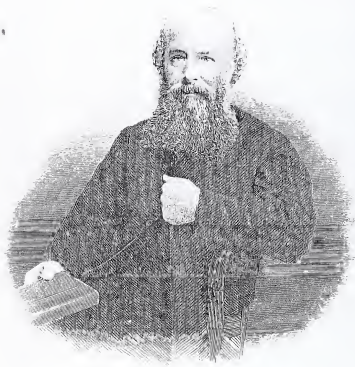
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"The Memoir of Richard Burdsall," fourth edition, with notes and additions. London: Woolmer, 1885.

"A Summary of Biblical and Prophetical Chronology." York: Coultas, 1885.—*Ed.*]

ALD. LEYTH.—According to a will in the York Diocesan office, dated Sept. 8th, 1485, "Johannes Leyth, unus Aldermanorum de Scardeburg," directed that his body should be buried in the church of the Blessed Mary, opposite to the chapel of St. Stephen, where his first wife had been buried. After bequeathing one moiety of his lands, tenements, rents and services to



his widow, and the other to his son Robert, he makes the following bequests for religious purposes :

To the Prior of St. Mary, Scarborough	... ..	6/8.
„ Presbyter of the same	... ..	6/8.
„ Presbyter of St. Peter, Eccles	... ..	10/-.
„ Chapel of the Holy Sepulchre, Scarbro.	... ..	6/8.
„ Chapel of St. Thomas, in my own town	} 3/4.	
(villa)		
„ several Orders in the same	... ..	80/-.
„ Presbyter of Whitburn	... ..	10/-.

Qy. (i) Is Whitburn the same as Whitby?

(ii) Or may it not be Whitburn in Scotland, originally part of the parish of Linlithgow, where a family of Lethes or Leyths, for both forms occur in the old Scottish archives, existed a century before?

(iii). Where is Eccles?*

(iv). From Torr's Testamentary Burials it appears that in 1562 one Thos. Lyth, of Newton, in the parish of Pickering, directed his body to be buried in the Parish Church. Is there any means of determining whether he was the grandson of the Alderman; or otherwise related to him?

JOHN LYTH.

DR. JOHN LYTH.—Along with the final proof-sheet came the sad intelligence of Dr. Lyth's decease, which occurred on the 13th of March, 1886, aged 65. He became a Minister of the Wesleyan denomination in 1843, when but twenty-two years of age. He first laboured at Stroud, where he remained three years, after which he was stationed at Gloucester, Deptford, Nottingham, Halifax, and Burnley. His ability as a preacher was recognized by the Conference, and in 1859, during his stay at Burnley, he was appointed by the Conference to take charge of the Wesleyan mission at Wurtemberg, in Germany. In 1871 he was removed to Sheffield and appointed chairman of that district. Subsequently he returned to Hull, holding the position of chairman of that district, and he also laboured at Nottingham, where he was chairman of the Nottingham and Derby district. The last circuit he took was Sunderland, where he spent three years, and filled the office of chairman of the Newcastle district. Forty years after entering upon it he retired from the full work of the ministry, and came to York, his native city, in 1883, as supernumerary, where he spent his declining years. In 1878 he was elected a member of the Legal Hundred.

THE REV. WM. ATKINSON, M.A.—I am able to give your correspondents W. Scruton and G. W. W. some information as to the ancestry of the Rev. Wm. Atkinson, of which I observe Mr. Scruton stands in need, when he speaks of Thorparch as “the home of his ancestors”;—the fact being that Wm. Atkinson's father, the Rev. Christopher Atkinson, was, so far as I know, the first of the family to reside at that place. This Christopher Atkinson, vicar of Thorparch, was second son of Myles Atkinson, M.D., of Troutbeck Bridge, Windermere, (where he resided on his own small estate, and in 1719

* Perhaps this is a mis-reading, and means the Church of St. Peter. There is a village in Lancashire of the name Eccles. We think there would be little difficulty in tracing the grand-children of Alderman Lyth if the wills at York are consulted. First of all a list of Lyths from the Index should be compiled for the eighty years. This would take about an hour.—Ed.

purchased the adjoining property of Knotts), by Agnes Cookson his wife, who in 1756 presented the font to his son's Church of Thorparch. Myles Atkinson was son of Christopher Atkinson, of Troutbeck, and was there baptised 14th Feb., 1674; further back than this, I regret to say, I cannot take the pedigree. Myles and Agnes Atkinson had four sons—(1) John, who was also of Troutbeck Bridge, M.D., and was living in 1774, having married and had three children, viz.: Cookson Atkinson, Birket Atkinson, R.N., and Jane; (2) Christopher, before-named, as father of William; (3) Thomas, an owner of iron-works at Cockermouth and Whitehaven, who married a Miss Philipson and had a son Miles and a daughter Elizabeth, who both died s.p.; (4) Rowland, of Macclesfield, and B.A. of Queen's College, Oxon, where he matriculated 4 Dec., 1740, aged 18, and took his B.A. degree 27th June, 1744. He married Mary, younger daughter of Thomas Roe, Vicar of Castleton, County Derby, and sister of the celebrated Charles Roe, Esq., of Macclesfield, the founder of Christ Church in that town, and dying in 1773 left three daughters, co-heirs, of whom the youngest, Fanny, married my maternal great-grandfather, Edward Maddock, of the Inner Temple, Esquire, younger surviving son of the Rev. Thomas Maddock, Rector of Liverpool.

The Rev. Wm. Atkinson's father, Christopher Atkinson, was also of Queen's College, Oxford, where he matriculated 3rd May, 1732, at the age of 19, (and was therefore some nine years older than his youngest brother, Rowland), and took his B.A. degree 25th February, 1735, and previously to holding the Vicarage of Thorparch, he was Head-master of Macclesfield Grammar School, 1745-1749. By his wife Jane, daughter of William Johnson, of Old Hall, near Kendal, Co. Westmorland, Esquire, he had, with eight daughters, four sons, whom your correspondent, Mr. Scruton, mentions, viz: Johnson, of Leeds, M.D., and of Queen's College, Cambridge, 8th wrangler, took the name of Busfield in 1772, having married the heiress of that family; Miles, B.A., St. Peter's College, Cambridge, 6th wrangler, Vicar of Kippax, and Lecturer of Leeds Parish Church, founder of St. Paul's Church, Leeds, where there is a monument to his memory; Christopher, M.A., Trinity College, Cambridge, 5th wrangler, sometime Fellow and Tutor of Trinity College, Cambridge, and Vicar of Wetherfield, Essex, where he was buried in March, 1795; and lastly William, the subject of Mr. Scruton's memoir. I should much like to have earlier information than I possess about this family. Probably the Rev. Christopher Atkinson obtained the living of Thorparch from the fact of his being a member of Queen's College, Oxon., to which Lady Elizabeth Hastings was a great benefactor. I should also be very grateful for information as to the descendants of the Rev. William Atkinson, and also of his brothers

Miles and Christopher. The former, Miles, married 5th April, 1768, Mary, daughter of Edward Kenion, of Leeds, Esquire, and had seven sons and four daughters; the latter, Christopher, married 13th July, 1785, Catherine, only daughter of Sir Peter Leicester, of Tabley, County Chester, Bart., and sister of the 1st Lord de Tabley, by whom he had issue two sons and four daughters. I should add that for much of the information I have given, I am indebted to the late Johnson Atkinson Busfield, Esquire. The arms used by this branch of the Atkinson family are—Gules, a double-headed Eagle displayed or; on a chief of the 2nd a rose of the 1st between two martlets sable."

JOHN HAMERTON CRUMP, JUNR.,

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[See ATKINSON—under Bibliography.]

CHRISTOPHER LEVETT, of York.—Christopher Levett was a native of York, and, some time before 1618—at which time he published a book on Timber Measurement,—removed to Sherborne, Dorset County. In the year 1623 he made a voyage to New England, and purchased territory in Casco Bay of the Natives, and, on his return to England, obtained from the Council for the affairs of New England, a patent for 6000 acres, covering the tract purchased of the Natives. While he was in Casco Bay he built a "strong house," or fortification, and left ten men there to guard his property. On his return, the claims of the French to the territory he had purchased, made him hesitate to transport his family to the New World, and he petitioned the King for aid in protecting his property. He called the city which he proposed to found in Casco Bay, York, after his native city, and the King in 1627, ordered a contribution to be taken in the Churches of York to aid Levett in his undertaking. Levett subsequently made a voyage to America, and on his return died before reaching Bristol, where, on January 1630, his effects, probably what was with him in the vessel, were administered upon by his wife. He was complained of before Parliament, 27th May, 1628, on account of exercising a Patent for collecting toll at "Two Bridges in Yorkshire." It would be very interesting to me to know more about Levett. When was he born and married? What is known of his family? What is known about the collection taken in the Churches of York for Levett's proposed city—the site of which is now occupied by the thriving city of Portland in the State of Maine? What about the Patent for "Two Bridges?" Perhaps some Yorkshire Antiquary would take pleasure in performing the pious task of hunting up these

matters, and thereby aid in rescuing the memory of a man of no ordinary merit from oblivion.

Yours very truly,

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Jan. 13th, 1886.

BURDEKIN.—I wish to ascertain the parentage of Eliza Ann Burdekin, of a Yorkshire family, who was married at Calcutta, in January 1794, to Colonel Samuel Dyer, 10th Bengal Native Infantry. Colonel Dyer died 13th Dec., 1802, and his widow subsequently married John Lowe, Esq.

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HAMERTON.—I am very anxious to find the baptismal entry of John Hamerton, described as of Saddleworth, Co. York, who was aged 25 years and upwards in May, 1761, and was therefore probably born about 1735-6. He had a brother William Hamerton, who is said, on a mourning ring in his memory, to have died 12th June, 1811, aged 67, and was therefore probably born about 1743-4. Any Hamerton Notes, not to be found in printed books and pedigrees, I should be very grateful for. John Hamerton Crump, junr., Carlton Club, London, S.W.

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HYPROM.	RASTRYK.	SKANMYNDENE.
1483 John Boythes	John Hanson	John Hey
1484 Richd. Clyff & John Hoile	[]	John Hoyle
1485 John Boy	John Duke, Thos Sayuile, and hers Hen Sayuile	Willm Denton
1486 Jacobus Otes	Thos fil Thos Say- vell de Hollyneg- ge, & also ppositus of Ossett this year	Ric Hey

	HYPOM.	RASTRYK.	SKAMMYNDENE.
1487	Richd. Clyff, pro lo Rich. Broderton	Thos Saynile de Hollyngegge	Ric Hey
1488	Robert Burgh, cap- ellanus, pro lo Robt. Bates	Thomas frith	Thos Denton
1489	Richd. Sundirland, po lo John Stanceliffe & laur. Barestowe	Thos & Wm ffryth	John Hoyle
1490	Edmund Rysshworth	John Hanson senr and junr	Wm. Denton
1491	Richard Symmes & John Haldeworth	Thomas Hey	Galfri Denton
1492	William Boethes	Tenent. tre & ten. nup. Thos fil Thos Saynile de Hollyngegge	John frith
1493	John Rideynge	Tenent tre & ten. nup. Thos fil Thos Saynile de Hollyngegge	Ric Hey
1494	Richard Otes	Thomas frith	John Hoyle
1495	John Boy & Thos. Naler, pro lo John Haldeworth	[]	Wm. Denton
1496	John Northend, po lo John Haldeworth	John Clayton	Ric Hey
1497	John Boy & Jacobus Otes, pro lo John Haldeworth	John Clayton	Ric Hey
1498	John Haldeworth & Richard Sunderland po lo John Haldwth.	Wm ffryth	Thos Denton
1499	John Wilby, pro lo Thos. W.	John Hanson	Edmd Hoyle
1500	Willm Rookes, po lo John Haldeworth	Richd Hey	Will Denton
[1501	John Boye]		
1502	Edmund Risshe- worth po lo John Halde- worth	John Lake	John ffryth
1503	Margaret Boy vidua, po lo John Halde- worth	John lake	Thomas Hoyle
1504	Robert Burgh, cap- ells, laurence Bare- stowe & Wm. Stan- clyff; pro lo Rob.	Thomas ffryth	Alan Bothomlay

	HYPROM.	RASTRYK.	SKAMMYNDENE.
	Bates		
1505	John Risshworth, po lo Umfri Rissh- worth		
1506	John Boy		
1507	William Rookes		
1508	Edmund Rysshe- worth, po lo John Milner	Thomas Sayvile	John Cay
1509	Richd. Boethes & Richd. flourness; po lo John Halde- worth	Thos Sayuile	George Hoyle
1510	John Boethe, po lo John Milner	Thos ffryth	Robt Denton
1511	Richd. Clyff & John Hoyle, po lo John Haldworth	Thos Sayvile de Clifton for lyn- leyland	Willm Bothom- ley
1512	John Boy, po lo Ric Gybson	John Clayton	John ffryth
1513	John Otes	John Clayton and John Hanson	Ric Hey
1514	Ric Clyff	Wm ffryth	Geo. Hoyle
1515	John Burgh, po lo John Haldeworth	John Ha——	Robt Denton
1516	Richd. Sundirland; po lo Wm. Stan- clyff	Ric Hey and Thos Sayuile de Clifton	Ric Hey
1518	John Haldeworth & Ric. Amyas po lo Ric. Stanclyff	Thos Sayuile po lo Robt ffrith	Thos ffryth
1519	Jacobus Boethes, po lo Ric. Stanclyff	Thos Sayuile	George Hoyle
1520	Ric. Rideyng, po lo R. S. above	Edwd ffrith	Rob Denton
1521	John Otes, pro locus R. S., as above	Edward ffryth	Wm. Bothomley
1522	John & Robt. Boy, p. l. (or deputy) R. S., as above	Will. Grene	John ffryth
1523	Thos. Northend, p. l. R. S.	Thos. Sayvile and Ric. Hey	Thos Bothomley
1524	John Boy & Jacobus Otes, p. l. R. S.	[]	Geo. Hoyle

(To be continued.)

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Eure of Helton, &c., co. Lincoln.

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It will hardly be necessary to offer any apology for the introduction in this Magazine of an hitherto unpublished pedigree of the Lincolnshire branch of such an ancient, and for a long period important, Yorkshire family as the Lords Eure. The compiler of the following pedigree submits it with full knowledge of its imperfectness arising from want of opportunity for consulting Lincolnshire Wills and Parish Registers, and in the hope that its publication may elicit further particulars; while at the same time a large portion of it not only now first appears in print, but the particulars are for the first time collected and arranged. For the same reasons it seems advisable to record the earlier descents of the main line.

Liderick of Harlebeke, appointed by the Emperor Charlemagne Markgraf of Flanders in 792, was grandfather of Baldwin, Bras de Fer, in whose favour Flanders was acknowledged as an hereditary Countdom, by Charles the Bald, in 862 A.D. He married Judith, dau. of Charles the Bald, King of France and Emperor of Germany, and widow first of Ethelwolf, and secondly of Ethelbald, Kings of England. By the Princess Judith he was father of Baldwin the Bald, Count of Flanders, who married Ethelswida or Elfrida, (mar. 889, and died 7 June, 929,) dau. of Alfred the Great, King of England. Their son Arnolph I. (Magnus) Count of Flanders, mar. Alissa or Artela, dau. of Heribert, Count of Vermandois, and had issue Baldwin III., Count or Regent of Flanders, ob. v. p. 961; by Mechtild dau. of Herman Billeneg, Duke of Saxony, he was father of Arnolph II., Count of Flanders and Artois, married Rosala, dau. of Berengarius II., King of Italy. Their son Baldwin IV., Count of Flanders, created Count of Valenciennes in 1007, mar. Otgiva, dau. of Frederic I. of Bavaria, Count of Luxemburg, and was father of Baldwin V., Count of Flanders, who by Alise, dau. of Robert, King of France, had issue:

1. Baldwin VI., Count of Flanders, from a younger son of whom descended the Earls of Lincoln of the name of Gaunt, the Mountforts of Beldebert, and the Lucys of Charleote.

2. John, below.

2. Judith, mar. first to Tosti, Earl of Northumberland, and secondly to Guelph V., Duke of Bavaria, Marquis d' Este; from which marriage descend the Kings of England of the House of Hanover, of which is our present most Gracious Sovereign Lady, Queen Victoria.

4. Maud (or Matilda), mar. to William I. (the Conqueror), King of England.

The second son John was Earl of Comyn, had issue:

1. Harlowen, who founded Grestein Abbey in Normandy,

and was father of Odo, Bishop of Bayeux, Robert, Earl of Moreton and Cornwall, from whose son Adelm or Aldelini descended, de Burgh, Earls of Ulster (extinct), and de Burgh, Marquis of Clanricarde (extant), Hubert de Burgh, Earl of Kent, and the Lords Burgh of Gainsborough.

2. Eustace.

3. Millicent, mar. Fulk, Count of Anjou, and was grandmother of Henry II., King of England. The second son Eustace, Baron of Tonsburgh in Normandy, had issue:

1. Serlo de Berg, who first occurs in 1131 on the Pipe Roll of that year, together with his son Osbert, in connection with Yorkshire, and accounts for the farm of the revenues of Nottinghamshire, Derbyshire, with Knaresborough (Cnaresburg) in York. He had a son Osbert who died v. p., s. p.*

2. John, called Monoculus, from having lost one eye. He was heir to his brother Serlo de Berg. He married Margaret, aunt to King Stephen, by whom he was father of

1. Eustace fitz John, below.

2. Pagan.

3. William.

The eldest son, Eustace fitz John, was a witness with his brothers to the foundation Charter of Cirenchester Priory, in 1133, (vide Dugdale's Monasticon). He accounts in the Pipe Rolls of 1131 for the farm of the King's revenues of Burg (Boroughbridge), and Chenardesburg (Knaresborough). He received from King Henry I. eleven carucates of land, and the service of Serlo de Burgh. He probably laid down the plan of Alnwick Castle, dividing it into three wards and making the Keep. He was one of the most powerful barons of the north, and in contemporary writings he is styled, "*vir magnus et grandæus*." He was the intimate friend of King Henry I., after whose death he delivered Alnwick Castle to the King of Scotland. He was slain in the Welsh wars, at Coleshill in 1157, 3 K. H. II.), being then of a very advanced age. Eustace fitz John married first, Agnes eldest dau. and coh. of William Fitz Nigel, Baron of Halton and Constable of Chester. His second wife was Beatrix dau. and h. of Ivo de Vesci, by his wife the dau. and h. of William Tyson, Lord of Alnwick and Malton, by whom he had a son William, heir to his mother, and whose name he took, and was father of Eustace de Vesci, one of the twenty-five barons appointed in Magna Charta; and Warin de Vesci whose dau. and h. Margaret, married Gilbert de Aton, their great grandson Gilbert de Aton was declared by an Inquisition P.M., held at York, 8 Edw. II., to be heir to Lord de Vesci. This last Gilbert, Lord Aton and de Vesci, left three daughters his coheirs, of whom the second, Catherine, mar. Sir

* During his father's life, without issue.

Ralph Eure to whom she carried Malton &c. By his first wife, Eustace fitz John had

1. Richard below.

2. Geffery fitz Eustace, father of John fitz Geffery, whose son Richard fitz John, was Justice of Ireland and died leaving four daughters his coheirs, the eldest of whom married William Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick. Among the arms, abatues or extinct in a roll of arms temp. Hen. III., are those of this knight viz. 'Sir Richard le Fitz John; *Quarterly or, and gu., a bord. raire.*

Richard fitz Eustace, the eldest son, was Baron of Halton and Constable of Chester. He held Sneith, co. York; vide Feet of Fines; and paid 25 marks for his marriage, Pipe Roll 81, Hen. I. Arms *quarterly or, and gu. a bend sa., over all a label of five points.* His wife was Albreda, dau. and h. of Robert de Lisours (*or, a chief az.*) by his w. Albreda, dau. (and in her issue heir) of Robert de Laci, Lord of Pontefract, (*or, a lion ramp. purp.*); by this lady he had issue,

1. John, who succeeded to the Baronies of Halton and Pontefract, the Constableness of Chester. He was also Lord of Flamborough, and was slain at Tyre in the Holy-land, on the 5th Oct., 1183. By his w. Alice, dau. of Aubrey de Vere, 1st Earl of Oxford, he was father of (1) Roger de Lacy who succeeded him, and by Matilda, dau. of Richard Clare, Earl of Gloucester and Clare, was ancestor of the Earls of Lincoln of the House of Lacy. (2) Robert de Lacy or Constable, who had the Lordship of Flamborough, and was ancestor of the Constables of Flamborough, Everingham, Wassand, &c., and (3) Johanna de Lacy, w. of Peter de Brus.

2. Robert fitz Richard, a Knight Hospitaller, ob. s. p.

3. Roger fitz Richard, below.

4. Mary, mar. to Robert Aldeforde.

5. Aubrey, mar. to Henry Basset.

Roger fitz Richard, the third son, was Baron of Warkworth, co. Northumberland, by gift of K. Hen. II., Charta Rogerii filius Richardi teneo in capite de Rege Warkwartham. Harl: MSS. 5804, fol. 81. He married Adeliza, dau. and coh. of Henry de Essex, Baron of Raleigh, by his w. Adeliza, dau. of Aubrey de Vere, by whom he had issue.

1. Robert fitz Roger, 2nd Baron of Warkworth; Lord of Clavering, co. Essex, by gift of K. Hen. II., on 16 April, 1191. K. Rich. I. granted him the Manor of Eure, co. Bucks, which K. John confirmed to him in the first year of his reign. He was Sheriff of Norfolk, Suffolk, and Northumberland, was ambassador to Scotland in 1209, and founded the Priory of Langley, co. Norfolk, in 16th K. John (1215). He purchased in 1st K. John (1199) for his nephew John le Marshall (or Marescall) the marriage of Alina, 2nd dau. and coh. of Hubert de Rye, baron

of Hingham, for 300 marks of silver, (they were married before 8th K. John as appears by a fine levied by them; he was dead 22 Hen. III., Feet of fines Hen. III., No. 668), and died shortly after 1215; having married Margaret only dau. and h. of William s. of Robert Fitzwalter by Sibella, dau. and h. of William Caisneto (or Cheney), Baron of Horsford, and relict of Hugh de Cressy (her son Roger de Cressy mar. before 8 K. John, Isabel dau. and coh. of Hubert de Rye, Baron of Hingham, relict of Geoffery de Chester. This Isabel was sister to Alina or Avelina de Rye above named.), (arms *Gul. a fesse erm. betw. two chevronels or.* Fitzwalter; *az. two lions pass arg. inter nine estoils or.* de Caisneto.), by whom he had issue, a son and a dau. Alice, mar. 5 K. John, Peter fitz Herbert, by whom she was ancestress of the Earls of Pembroke and Carnarvon, &c. of the name of Herbert. She was dead before 1216, for in 17th K. John he obtained the honour of Barnestaple, co. Devon, with 15 knights fees, part of the possessions of William de Braose, Lord of Brecknock, whose 3rd dau. and coh. Isabel he had mar., and dying 19th K. John, left her his widow. The son John fitz Robert, Baron of Warkworth, Clavering and Eure, was Sheriff of Northumberland, 1224-27. In 2 Hen. III. he obtained a charter for a fair in his (jure uxoris) manor of Stokesley, to be held yearly on the festival of St. Thomas the Martyr (a' Beckett). He died in 1240 having married Ada de Baliol, dau. of Hugh de Baliol, sister of John de Baliol, founder (1263) of Baliol College, Oxford, and aunt of John de Baliol, King of Scotland. By Inq. P. M. 35 Hen. III. she enfeoffed her sons Hugh and Robert with the Manor of Stokesley, which was given to her by her father. She died on Saturday before St. James' day, July, 1251. They had issue—

1. Roger fitz John, 4th Baron of Warkworth, and Lord of Clavering, a quo the Barons Clavering, and the Clavering Baronets, &c., &c.

2. Sir Hugh de Eure, who was seated at Eure, co. Bucks., temp. Hen. III., to whom Edw. I. by charter in 19th year of his reign (1290) confirmed Stokesley and Ingoldby. He died 23 Edw. I., 1290, being ancestor of the Lords Eure.

3. Sir Robert de Eure, below.

4. Stephen de Eure, Clerk, who appears with his brother Sir Hugh in some of the foundation deeds of Baliol College.

Sir Robert de Eure, the third son, it is, of whose line we propose more particularly to treat at present. It is this Robert who is said to have differenced his arms by placing three silver fleur de lis on the black bend borne by his father, which bend was used without difference by his eldest brother; the second, Sir Hugh, placing three escallops arg. on the bend as his difference. Sir Robert became seated at Belton in the Isle of Alxholme, and married Isabel, dau. and coh. of Roger de Merley, Baron of Morpeth, by whom he had issue. (*To be continued.*)

Maudes, of Airedale.**MARRIAGES : BINGLEY.**

Bryan Maude	and	Dorothy Butler,	1584.
Arthur Maude, gent,	„	Jane Henthouse, (?)	1593.
Thomas Maude	„	Elizabeth Longe,	1622.
Edmond Maude	„	Martha Bynns, (?)	1638.
Michael Maude	„	Martha Butterfield,	1641.
William Maude	„	Isabel Marrer,	1681.
Timothy Maude	„	Esther Nutter,	1684.

MARRIAGES : KEIGHLEY.

Thomas Maude	and	Margaret Maude,	1564.
Constantine Maude	„	Isabella Hartley,	1586.
Symon Maude,	„	Susan Sugden,	1625.

BAPTISMS : BINGLEY.

Robert, son of Arthur Maude, gent,	...	1597.
Agnes, daughter „ „ „	...	1598.
Dorothea, „ „ „	...	1602.
Symon, son „ „ „	...	1604.
John, son of Thomas Maude, gent,	...	1619.
Arthur, son of Arthur Maude,	...	1628.
Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Maude,	...	1637.
William, son of Richard Maude,	...	1639.
Anne, daughter of Thomas Maude,	...	1639.
Richard, son of Richard Maude,	...	1642.
John, son of Thomas Maude, gent,	...	1642.
Martha, daughter of Richard Maude,	...	1642.
Thomas, son of Thomas Maude, gent,	...	1644.
Marie, daughter of Christopher M. & Lydia —	}	1645
William, son of Christopher Maude & Magt. Hagg, presumably illegitimate though not stated.		& 1648.
Marie, daughter of William Maude, of Bingley,		1649.
Marie, „ Thomas Maude, gent, ...		1650.
William, son of William Maude, of Bingley,		1650.
Isabel, daughter „ „ „		1652.
Ellen, „ „ „		1653.
Margaret, „ „ „		1655.
Martha, „ „ „		1656.
Two other daughters, „ „		1657 & 1659.
Mary, daughter of Arthur Maude, of Morton,		1662.
Michael, son of William Maude, of Bingley,		1663.
Thomas, son of Arthur Maude, of West Morton,		1664.
Margaret, daughter of Michael Maude, of Cottingley Bridge,	}	1665.
Michael, son of Michael Maude, of Bingley,		1667.
Martha & Maria, daughters of Michael Maude, of Gilstead,	}	1670.

Rosamond, daughter of Michael Maude, of Cottingley Bridge,	}	1672.
William, son of	" "	1674.
John,	" "	1676.
Thomas,	" "	1680.
Two more daughters of Michael Maude,		1685.
Grace, d. of Timothy Maude, of Priesthorpe,		1688.
John, son of Joseph Maude,	" "	1690.
Grace, d. of Joseph Maude, of Oldwood,	...	1693.
Margaret,	" "	1695.
Grace,	" "	1698.
Jane, d. of Joseph Maude,	...	1707.
Thomas, son of Joseph Maude, of Micklethwaite,		1708.
Mary, d. of Thomas Maude,	...	1709.
Robert, son of Abraham Maude,	...	1709.
Sarah, d. of Thomas Maude, of Cottingley Bdg.,		1711.
Michael, son of	" "	1714.
Edith, d. of	" "	1716.
Esther, d. of James Maude, of Crossflatts,		1722.
Mary,	" "	1724.
James, son of William Maude, of Bingley,		1726.
Elizabeth, d. of John Maude, of Oldwood,		1726.
Mary, d. of James Maude, of Bingley,	...	1727.
James, son of William Maude,	" "	1727.
Mary, d. of John Maude, of Oldwood,	...	1728.
Eleanor, d. of James Maude, of Bingley,	...	1730.
Grace, d. of John Maude, of Oldwood,	...	1730.
Abraham, son of William Maude, of Bingley,		1731.
Sarah, d. of Thomas Maude, of Micklethwaite,		1731-2.
Mercy, d. of James Maude, of Bingley,	...	1733.
Margaret, d. of John Maude, of Oldwood,	...	1733.
Joseph, son of Joseph Maude,	" "	1735.
Anne, d. of James Maude, of Bingley,	...	1738.
Sarah & Mary, ds. of Joseph Maude, of Oldwood,		1739.
John, son of John Maude, of Oldwood,	...	1740.

BAPTISMS: KEIGHLEY.

Mary, d. of Constantine Maude, bap.	July,	1586.
Arthur, son of Christopher	" "	Oct., 1592.
Arthur, son of Arthur Maude, of West Riddlesden, baptized, a bastard,	}	July, 1593.
Thomas, son of Arthur Maude, of West Riddlesden, gent,	}	Oct., 1594.
Elizabeth, d. of Simon Maude,	...	1637.
John, son of William Maude, bap.,	...	1663.

BURIALS: KEIGHLEY.

Bryan Maude,	...	1596.
Wife of Constantine Maude, 23 Dec.,	...	1617.

CHURCHWARDENS OR OVERSEERS, BINGLEY.

At end of 1698, Joseph Maude, of Oldwood.
 1694, Timothy „
 1695, Timothy and Joseph Maude.
 Michael Maude.
 1702, Thomas Maude.
 1732, John Maude, of Oldwood.

MARRIAGES : GUISELEY.

William Maude and	_____ Pollard,	1723.
James Maude „	Elizabeth Waterhouse,	1744.
_____ „	Mercy Maude,	1640.

MARRIAGE : BINGLEY.

John Maude, Tanner,	Elizabeth Craven, of }	1760.
of Bingley Parish,	Parish of Guiseley, }	

BAPTISMS : GUISELEY.

Joshua, son of John Maude, bapd.,	...	1592.
William, son of William Maude, of Guiseley,		1626.
John, son of John Maude, of Guiseley,	...	1653.
William,	...	1679.
Joseph, son of John Maude, bapd.,	...	1656.

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 WILLIAM CLAPHAM, Physician in Whitby, and brother to Thomas Clapham, Esq., parish of Clapham, West Riding.

The following is copied from a York Chronicle Newspaper, bearing date betwixt the 10th and 14th of May, 1785.

“To the printer of the York Chronicle.

Sir,

As the following tribute of applause, to the memory of a late eminent and able physician, may tend to excite a laudable emulation in younger minds, and in the breasts of his successors, and at the same time convince mankind, that merit however obscured by situation, or repressed by diffidence, does not always escape the discernment of the judicious nor the acknowledgment of the grateful, your insertion of the subjoined biographical sketch will much oblige your constant reader.

Doctor William Clapham, who lately died at Whitby in Yorkshire to the inexpressible grief of his friends, was born near Settle in Craven. His father who resided on his own estate and who possessed all the virtues of an ancient and respectable race of ancestors from whom he was descended, determined very early to give his son William a good education : with this view he committed him to the care of the Revd. Mr. Sedgwick, who at that time taught a school in the neighbourhood, with great reputation. In this seminary of classical learning Mr. Clapham was soon noticed and distinguished for the quietness and docility of his understanding, the sweetness of his disposition, and the gentleness of his manners. After having acquired

a competent share of knowledge in the Latin and Greek languages, the admiration and esteem of his Preceptor and the love of his schoolfellows he left Horton in order to be sent to College to qualify for Holy Orders; but the young gentleman on examination and inquiry not feeling in himself the necessary . . . to the study of Theology in a professional light, but on the contrary, expressing a predilection in favour of the science of medicine, all thoughts of the gown for him were immediately relinquished. The same care which Mr. Clapham had shewn in the choice of a classical Master for his son, he manifested in the selection of a medical one. For as soon as he was informed of his son's inclination for the study of physic, he placed him under the eye and instructions of an eminent Surgeon and Apothecary at Skipton in Craven; and as there is no situation perhaps in which the proper foundation of the future physician can be so well laid, as in the habits of an early and intimate acquaintance with the appearances of the sick and their diseases, when assisted by the observations of an intelligent and communicative master, Mr. Clapham was peculiarly fortunate in possessing frequent opportunities of visiting a large circle of patients with a gentleman who is not more remarkable for the extent and success of his practice, than for the ability and readiness with which he indicates the principles of it. After the time allotted for Mr. Clapham's stay with Mr. Moorhouse expired he repaired to London for improvement. Allured to the Capital by no other motive than the ardent love of his profession, he immediately on his arrival commenced a course of close study and application. In knowledge he soon made a rapid and distinguished progress. This knowledge he took particular care to build on the safest and most permanent foundations; the accurate and intimate acquaintance with the structure of the human body, derived from a long and diligent attendance on the Hunterian Lectures, a careful dissection of dead bodies, an assiduous perusal of the best authors and from the treasures of a cultivated understanding, a strong and retentive memory. As the accurate knowledge of anatomy naturally and invisibly leads on the mind to the study and contemplation of surgery, Mr. Clapham entered himself a pupil at St. George's Hospital under the ingenuous Mr. John Hunter.

From the great proficiency he made in Surgical attainments there is every reason to believe that he obtained an intimate acquaintance with the mechanism of our bodies and of those laws by which they are governed, highly necessary in the formation of the complete manual Surgeon. Mr. Clapham would have acceded to the proposals and acquiesced in the wishes of his friends to establish himself in London in the line of Surgery, but though he possessed the Eagle's eye he had not the Lion's heart. From the extreme sensibility of his mind and

a constitutional timidity and reserve, which probably he never would have entirely overcome ; he justly concluded that under such circumstances his feelings were incompatible with the bold intrepidity of heart, steadiness and dexterity of hand so essentially necessary to the successful operator. For these reasons Mr. Clapham was induced to turn his attention more particularly to the cultivation of medicine ; with this view he visited Edinburgh. On his arrival at this celebrated School of Physic he was equally delighted and surprised with the rich and various sources of knowledge which every way opened to his view and courted his attention. Edinburgh indeed presented a new field of observation and inquiry for the exercise of genius of larger extent and wider survey than any he had hitherto met with : and as his ardour for knowledge evidently increased in proportion to his opportunities of improving it, he explored this delightful and extensive region of science and intellectual pleasure, with an avidity and success we have seldom seen surpassed : but which while they brought him vast accessions of knowledge and of fame, unfortunately impaired his health and most materially injured a constitution by no means adapted to such laborious and unremitting application. The amiableness of his character, the remarkable assiduity with which he prosecuted his studies and the constancy and punctuality with which he attended lectures, arrested the attention and attracted the admiration and love of the professors, and at the same time did not fail to excite and conciliate the affections of all his associates, remarkable for their learning or for their virtues.

Mr. Clapham in the year 1775 took the Degree of Doctor of Medicine in the University of Edinburgh, with very great applause. His Thesis de Hæmorrhagis composed for this occasion was much admired by the whole learned body under whose auspices and by whose authority it was published. From the useful and important matter it contains, and the very ingenious and accurate manner in which it was written, it hath lately had the honour of being re-printed.

Dr. Clapham when at Edinburgh was a great and distinguished favorite with Dr. Cullen, and that truly illustrious man, hath ever since continued to honour him with the most flattering marks of attention and regard.

About the year 1777, Dr. Clapham established himself at Whitby, where a physician was much wanted.

The friendly and hospitable reception he met with in this place was attended with every circumstance of honour to the inhabitants, and of pleasure and happiness to himself, and no sooner were Dr. Clapham's character and abilities ascertained, by a critical but candid investigation of them, than they were liberally encouraged, and rewarded.

In a short time he advanced far in the good opinion and affections of the most eligible and respectable individuals, and was treated by them on all occasions, with a degree of literary respect, deference and attention the most flattering and agreeable a young man could receive. And as these attentions were conducted on the generous and enlarged principle of personal merit and could not possibly be excited by the captivating and seducing paraphernalia of physick, they were rendered more delicate and meritorious and acceptable, and while they shew the Doctor's worth and merit in the strongest light, at the same time place their own in the fairest and most honourable point of view; and indeed the people of Whitby in general evinced the most friendly good will towards their much lamented Physician, and that in a manner which would have done real honour to towns of greater name and more polished celebrity. Sensible that the well being of a place, as well as that of a state, depends, in a great measure, on the lives of the inferior classes of the people, and sensible that by increasing the sphere of humanity we increase the sphere of knowledge, Dr. Clapham dedicated one day in the week to the service of the poor: accordingly every Monday morning great numbers attended his lodgings, where the histories of their complaints were certain to be listened to with patience, investigated with care, and for the most part to be either sensibly relieved, or entirely cured.

For these two years past Dr. Clapham's health had been sensibly declining. Unfortunately for himself and the world, he inherited from his father a gouty and from his mother a consumptive predisposition.

These opprobria medicorum when called into action by occasional causes, were too much to be sustained with impunity by a constitution naturally delicate, and rendered more so by the anxieties attendant on an extensive practice. The characters of Consumption have lately been more particularly predominant; which with the frequent intervention of another assemblage of symptoms scarcely less dreadful put a period on the 24th of March, 1785, to the life and sufferings of a good and rising young man, not in his prime, who was an honour to human nature, an ornament to his profession, and a blessing to his friends.

To shining talents, an affectionate, honest, and feeling heart, Dr. Clapham united a high degree of moral and religious excellence. The one he manifested by the purity of his conversation and the rectitude of his actions, the other by a uniform reliance in God, and a frequent acknowledgment of his mercy through Christ. And in this fashionable age of Scepticism, when deism appears to be the prevailing epidemic of the mind, it ought to be mentioned in honour of the eminent character we now celebrate, that whenever the doctrine of Christianity has been

attacked in his presence, with the opinions and supported by the authorities of a Hume, or Voltaire, or an Herbert, he never failed on these occasions to oppose to them the greater and more virtuous characters of a Newton, a Locke, a Bayle, or an Addison.

As Dr. Clapham possessed an enlarged understanding, a clear and solid judgment, and joined to these the happy, but rare faculty of the mind, of combining, comparing and separating his ideas on every subject connected with medical philosophy with singular perspicuity and precision, there is no doubt that had he been spared to the world a few years longer, he would have contributed as liberally to the interests of learning, by favouring mankind with many useful and ingenious productions from his pen, as he had before done to those of humanity by the exercise of an unbounded benevolence.

But as it has pleased the Great Disposer of all events to call into His more immediate presence a servant who had done His will on earth, Science and Philosophy while they mourn the loss they have sustained, and Friendship meets at the tomb, and drops the tributary tear, must revive on the animating reflection, that he whom they deplore was taken from them at the time when his brows were encircled with wreaths of honour, a well earned reputation, and a good name, and rejoice that he, who, while clothed in dust, forgot not his original purity, who loved virtue, who loved God, is now in the mansions on high to enjoy there incessant and eternal felicity.

"If till now my-tongue,
 "Oh gentle spirit, has delay'd
 "To pay its grateful off'ring of the praise
 "Thy merit claims, and only fill'd the cries
 "Of general applause, forgive thy friend."

LEONIDAS."

Copy of burial entry in Whitby Parish Registers.

Roman Computation, "1785, March 21, Clapham William, M.D., 34 years, Whitby."

Monumental Slab inserted under the step into a pew on the South side of the nave aisle opposite the pulpit is :

"Gul. Clapham, M.D., obiit nono Kalend Aprilis, Anno Dom MDccLxxxv., ætatis sue xxxiv. Hanc lapidem illius memoriam sacrum posuit I.D."

G. W. WADDINGTON.

Whitby, July 3rd, 1884.

Copied from MS. penes J. R. Clapham, Esq.,

Austwick Hall, nr. Settle.

OSWALDKIRK AND PHILIP LEWESTON.—In the British Museum, (Harleian Charters, 55a. 43) is a charter, by which Richard Pykeryng grants to Philip Leweston and others, lands, &c., at Oswaldkirk, together with the advowson of the Church of Saint

Oswald. The document is dated 3 Sept., 20 Hen. 6. Is anything known of this Philip Leweston, and his connection with Yorkshire? Leweston of Leweston is an old Dorset family, and I find the name of Philip Leweston mentioned in a charter relating to that estate, and dated 11 June, 16 Hen. 6., and again in another charter, 10 January, 30 Hen. 6. The following is an extract from the Harleian charter above mentioned: "Sciant omnes tam p'sentes q' futuri qd ego Ricus Pykeryng de Oswaldkirke cl'r dedi concessi & hac p'senti carta mea confirmavi dono Johi Constable de *Halvram* (?) militi Pho Leweston Roberto Thorneton de Slewton & Willmo holthorpe de Eliston omnia tras & ten mea redditus & suic cu' omibz suis p'tns que habeo in villa & territorio de Oswaldkirk una cu' aduocacie eccleie Sci Oswaldi eiusd' ville una cu' tra
teio die mensis Septembris anno Regis Henrici sexti post conquesta Anglie vicesimo."

C. H. MAYO, M.A., R.D.

Long Burton Vicarage,
Sherborne, Dorset.

The Family of Gibson.

GENEALOGICAL NOTES BY JAMES RUSBY, Esq., F.R.HIST.SOC.

There have, during the past three or four centuries, been various branches of this family in the County of York: the two principal ones were at Welbourn and Staveley, for both of which there are pedigrees recorded in the Herald's Visitations.

The Gibsons of Welbourn bore for Arms, Barry of Six ermine and sable, a lion rampant or. Crest a Stork Close Argent, in beak an Oak tree proper: Granted by Dethick, 2 May, 1574, to Sir John Gibson of Welbourn, Knight, Doctor of the law, son of Thomas Gibson of Irby, in the County of Lincoln: this Sir John had two wives; by his first, Margaret, daughter of . . . Woodhall, he had two sons, Sir John Gibson, Kt., living 1612, and Thomas; and by his second wife, Margery, daughter of Richard Masterman of Nantwich, widow of Thomas Butler of Bew, he had a son, Edward Gibson of York. Sir John Gibson (the second) married Ann, daughter of Sir John Allett and widow of Thomas Pigott of Dodershall, by whom he had a son John, aged seven years in 1612, who was afterwards also Knighted. Edward Gibson of York, married Ann daughter of Edmund Dudley and had three sons; Edward aged 18 years in 1639, John, and Dudley.

The Staveley family bore Gules a Stork between three crescents argent, beaked and membered Or (confirmed 16 January, 1655). Thomas Gibson living about 1500, had two sons Richard Gibson, and Robert Gibson; Richard the elder married

Emma, daughter of Richard Croft of Myton, and had issue, Robert Gibson of Tydd St. Mary in the County of Lincoln, who married Isabel, daughter of John Pulleyne of Killinghall, by whom he had William Gibson, son and heir, Draper Gibson, and two daughters, Elizabeth and Margaret.

The Gibsons of Halifax resided at North and South Oworm, and during the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries at Slead hall, Lightcliffe: they bore the same Arms as the Welbourn family, viz. Barry of Six Ermine and Sable, a lion rampant or.

The Doncaster branch was represented by Cuthbert Gibson who was Postmaster of that town in the latter part of the Seventeenth Century, and buried there 15 September, 1692: he left, by his first wife Alice, buried 5 Novr., 1668, four sons and a daughter: George Gibson the eldest son was an Attorney and Town Clerk of Doncaster, baptized 20 July, 1659, and died 21 December, 1699; he had by his first wife Mary, daughter of John Dillingham of Low Melwood, four sons; John Gibson baptized 14 December, 1687, George a Captain in the Army, baptized 22 July, 1690, and buried at Doncaster 18 November, 1763, Richard baptized 1694, and Dillingham; and one daughter, Elizabeth baptized 1693. The Arms on the brass in Doncaster Church to this family are . . . three Storks rising . . . impaling . . . A Saltire between 4 cinquefoils or roses . . .

I have gathered together from numerous sources the following notes referring to Persons of the names of Gibson, and shall be pleased if anyone possessing further information will make additions thereto, with the view of adding to, or correcting the existing pedigrees, or compiling others.

EXTRACTS FROM PARISH REGISTERS.

Halifax—Samuel, son of Rowland Gibson, of Southowram, baptd. 19 October, 1600.

Mrs. Gibson, wife of Mr. Michael Gibson, of Slead hall, in Lightcliffe, buried Dec. 24th, 1722.

Mr. Michael Gibson, of Slead hall, and Widow Dade, married Sept. 18th, 1729.

Mr. Michael Gibson, of Slead hall, buried Nov. 16th, 1735.

Mr. Robert Gibson, of Slead hall, near Brighouse, died May 20th, 1738.

Mrs. Gibson, widow of Mr. Robert Gibson, of Slead hall, died in Manchester, Nov. 5th, 1739.

Vide also Nonconformist Register, Northowram, by J. H. Turner, ff: 44, 71, 130, 206, 224, 281, 287, 318, 324 and 327.

Burgh Walis—Elizabeth, wife of Thomas Gibson, buried 1st Feb., 1601.

- Thomas, son of Henry Gibson, baptized 5 March, 1614.
 Darton—John Gibson and Esther Taylor, married 16 October, 1626.
 Thomas Gibson and Jane Roydes, married 7th November, 1630.
 Leonard Rusbye, of Emley, and Dorothy Gibson, of Darton, married 21 November, 1709.
 Emley—Michael Gibson and Margaret . . . married 1629.
 Kirkheaton—Michael, son of Thomas Gibson, baptized 11th Sept., 1636: buried 20 December, 1636.
 Joseph Speight, of Dewsbury, and Mary Gibson, of Kirkheaton, married 15 September, 1663.
 Arksey—Ursula, daughter of William Gibson, buried 26 September, 1612.
 Warmsworth—Lancelot and Philip, sons of William Gibson, baptized 24 June, 1613.
 Philip Gibson, buried 6 August, 1613.
 York Minster—Thomas Hall, of Sandall Magna, and Dorothy Gibson, of Halifax, married 8 Feb., 169½.

MARRIAGE LICENCES AT YORK.

- Anno. 1601—At Dewsbury, Edward Gibson, of Huddersfield, and Beatrice Fernley, of Dewsbury.
 1605—At Heptonstall, Thomas Brooke, of Huddersfield, and Grace Gibson, daughter of Richard Gibson, of Heptonstall.
 1608—At Heptonstall, John Gibson and Ann Mitchell, of Heptonstall.
 1616—At Halifax, Jerominu Gibson, Clerk, A.M., and Edith Hemingway, of Halifax.
 1632—At Halifax, Nathan Ingham and Diana Gibson, of Halifax.
 1632—At Halifax, Edward Nicholl and Bridget Gibson, of Halifax, Spinster.
 1637—At Halifax, John Gibson, gent., and Ann Bromhead, of Halifax, Widow.
 1639—At Halifax, John Fairbank, aged 28, Yeoman, and Alice Gibson, of Halifax, Spinster, aged 29.
 1639—At Halifax, Daniel Gibson, aged 30, Yeoman, and Ann Emot, of Halifax, Spinster.
 1673—At Halifax, Thomas Wigglesworth, aged 25, of Olton, and Ann Gibson, of Lightcliffe.
 1697—At Bishophill or Sandall, Thomas Hall, aged 29, and Dorothy Gibson, aged 24, of Halifax, September.
 William Stones, of Fishlake, dated 10th April, 1578, proved at York, June 25, 1580; Names—Alice Gibson and Thomasin Gibson, his wife's daughters, Thomas Gibson, his wife's son, George Gibson and John Gibson.

Robert Gibson, Clerk, Vicar of Kirkheaton, will proved at York, 17 Oct., 1589.

Bryan Crowther, of Halifax, Yeoman, dated 9th Septr., 1605, mentions William Gibson.

Thomas Whitley, of Sinderhills, dated 12 Nov., 1631, proved at York, 20 December following, leaves to Alice Gibson, daughter of Samuel Gibson, £30.

John Gibson, the elder, of the Shaw-in-Langfield, in the County of York, dated 8 August, 1653, proved at Westminster, 22 July, 1654; names James Gibson, of Briggeroid in Stansfield, son and heir, John Gibson, junior, younger son, Ann Gibson, wife, Richard, Henry and Charles, sons of brother Richard Gibson, Clerk, late parson of Marton in Craven.

William Gibson, of Sikehouse, in Fishlake, Yeoman, dated 27 Jan., 1653, proved in London, 26 June, 1656, names sister Mary, the wife of John Thomson, wife Isabel, brother William Warde, of Bromeley.

Thomasin Gibson, of Brestwell, widow, dated 18 May, 1653, proved in London, names son Richard Gibson.

Anne Gibson, widow, of Halifax, dated 12 Aug., 1654, proved in London; Edward Hanson, of Woodhouse, in Rastrick, to be Executor.

Edmond Gibson, of Scorton, husbandman, dated 8 April, 1657, names Elizabeth Gibson, relict.

Robert Hemsworth, of Crofton, dated 10 November, 1730, and enrolled at Wakefield, 18 Dec. following, names sister Susannah, wife of . . . Gibson, of Woodhouse, in Kexborough.

George Gibson, of Doncaster, dated 6 Jan., 1755, proved in London, 18 April, 1764.

Samuel Terrick, Clerk, Rector of Weldrake, dated 18 Dec., 1718, proved at York, 25 Feb. following, names his brothers Thomas, Edward and Charles Gibson, and his sister Johanna Gibson.

MONUMENTAL INSCRIPTIONS.

Leeds Parish Church. On a marble monument: Near to this place is interred the body of Mr. John Gibson, late Alderman and Mayor of this Corporation, Anno 1702, who died 26th December, 1712, aged 63. Also of Elizabeth, his former wife, and two children twins, Sarah and Elizabeth, who died 27 Dec., 1683; also of his daughter Isabella, late wife of Mr. Samuel Lacon, who died 2 March, 1709, aged 29.

Halifax Church. On a monument, Arms—Barry of 6 ermine and sable, a lion rampant or; Near this place is interred Elizabeth Gibson, of Slead hall, who died 1690, aged 23, and Robert Gibson, of Slead hall, who died 1691, aged 63; and Michael Gibson, the son of Michael Gibson, of Slead hall, who died 1711, aged one; and Rhenetta, the wife of Robert Gibson, who died 1715, aged 84; and Elizabeth, the wife of Michael Gibson,

who died 1722, aged 52; and Michael Gibson, son of Robert Gibson, of Slead hall, who died 1738, aged 72; and Robert Gibson, of Slead hall, son of Michael Gibson, who died 1746, aged 43; also William Gibson, M.D., Professor of Anatomy at Cambridge, who died 16 Feb., 1753, aged 39, (he was educated at Jesus College, Camb.).

York Minster. On a monument, Arms—Barry of 6 ermine and sable, a lion rampant or. Near this place lyeth the body of Mrs. Penelope Gibson, daughter of John Gibson, of Welburne, in the County of York, Esq.; she died the 19th of January, 1715. (She was second daughter of John Gibson, by Joan, daughter of James Pennyman, Esq., of Ormesby, and was 20 months old on Aug. 28, 1665. York. Arch. Journal, Vol. 1, f. 279.) Also, near this place lyeth the body of Mrs. Joanna Gibson, the eldest daughter of John Gibson, of Welburn, Esq., she dyed the 27 of June, 1733, in the 78th year of her age. Monument: Arms—Gules 3 birds or, within a bordure Argent, impaling Barry of 6 ermine and sable, a lion rampant or; to Samuel Terrick, Clerk, Rector of Weldrake, who married at Bishopthorpe, Ann, widow of Nathaniel Arlush, Esq., and daughter of John Gibson, of Welburne, Esq.

Doncaster. Monument, inscription to Dorothy, daughter of Mr. Cuthbert Gibson, who died 24 July, 1676, aged 21.

POST MORTEM INQUISITIONS.

At Wakefield, 8 April, 16 Eliz: Richard Gybson, of Brookfoote, in Southowrame, died 24 January last; and John Gybson, of Southowram, yoman, is son and heir, 40 years old: Mesuages &c., in Southowram (Record Office, Vol. 15, fo. 4).

15 Eliz.—Robert Gibson, lands at Rocliffe and Aldburgh; William Gibson, son and heir, (Vol. 104, Record Office.)

1 Mary, Emott Gibson, land in Mitton	} Addl. MS., 26717 Brit. Museum.
31 Eliz., Edward Gibson, „ Kilmsey	
41 „ William Gibson, „ Lofthouse	
11 Jac. 1, John Gibson, Manor of Welborn	

FINES AT RECORD OFFICE.

Michaelmas, 3 and 4 Eliz., Yorkshire.

Edward Gybson, quart., and Richard Gybson, deft. of lands in Southowram.

Trinity, 40 Eliz., Yorkshire.

Lancelot Curtice, quart., and Robert Gibson, deft. of lands in Staveley.

Trinity, 6 Jac. 1., Yorkshire.

Edward Withes, quart., and Robert Gibson, deft. of land in Staveley.

Easter, 12 Jac. 1., Yorkshire.

John Thorpe, quart., and John Gibson, deft. of land in Southowram.

Hilary, 24 Car. 1, Yorkshire.

Edward Gibson, Armigeros, quart., and John Gibson, Kt., deft. of land in Welburn and Sonleyhill.

Michaelmas, 33 Car. 2, Yorkshire.

Thomas Gibson, quart., and John Pannell, deft. of land in Bagby.

Hilary, 6 Wm. & Mary, Yorkshire.

Edward Gibson, quart., and Michael Gibson, deft. of land in Lightcliffe.

Hilary, 12 Wm. & Mary, Yorkshire.

Michael Gibson, quart., and Abraham Lun, deft. of Messuage in Halifax.

Hilary, 20 Geo. 2, Yorkshire.

John Gibson, quart., and Oliver Dean, deft. of land in Heptonstall.

Michaelmas, 28 Geo. 2, Yorkshire.

Abraham Gibson, quart., and John Gibson, deft. of land in Stansfield.

Hilary, 30 Geo. 2, Yorkshire.

John West, quart., and John Gibson, deft. of land in Darton.

SUBSIDY ROLLS IN RECORD OFFICE.

15 Hen. 8.	{	Rothwell, Thomas Gibson, for 40s. guds.,	12d.
		Bramley, William Gibson, do.	12d.
do.	{	Northowram, Richard Gibson, for £4 guds.,	2s.
		Acastre-selby, John Gibson, in goods 5 marks,	20d.
		Bolton Percy, Thomas Gibson, in goods £3,	18d.
		Bykerton, James Gibson, in goods 40s.,	12d.
Car. 2, Almondbury, Thomas Gibson, 10 hearths.			

CHANCERY BILLS IN RECORD OFFICE.

Pleadings 1690 to 1700.

Gibson versus Stansfield.

Pleadings 1714.

Gibson versus Foxcroft.

Gibson „ Gibson.

FIRST FRUITS, RECORD OFFICE, VOL. 38.

Kirkheaton, Robert Gibson, 25 Novr., 20 Elizh.

COURT ROLLS, MANOR OF WAKEFIELD.

23 Feb., 23 Hen. 8. Hipperholme, John Gibson, son and heir of William Gibson, of Elynroide, in Northowram.

LEASE OF RECTORY OF DONCASTER.

Mr. Cuthbert Gibson, of Doncaster, took it at £335 per annum, and continued on it until the year 1691, when he was greatly in arrear, and was arrested, but being unable to pay his son Mr. George Gibson, Attorney, of Doncaster, arranged it.

INDENTURE. (ADDL. MS., 24520, f. 93.)

36 Hen. 8, 13 April, Edmund Gybson, Clerk, Master of the House or College of Holy Trinity, at Pontefract.

RENT ROLL, ARCHBISHOP OF YORK. (ADDL. MS., 925, f. 36.)
ABDO 1580 to 1637.

Molsby,	}	Sir John Gibson, Kt.
Site of late		for lives of Robt. Cooke x mort
Priory.		Fra his wife
		Edward, son of the said Sir John £12 5s.

FOSTER'S VISITATION OF YORKSHIRE.

Margaret, daughter of Solomon Swale, of Staveley, aged 7 years in 1585, married Robert Gibson, of Staveley.

NOTE.

Walter Sellon Gibson, of Leeds, married Catherine Wickliffe, and had a son Walter Sellon Gibson, of York.

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Hamerton Family.

INDEX TO HAMERTON WILLS AND ADMINISTRATIONS ON Record in the P.P.C., Somerset House, London. Communicated by John Hamerton Crump, Esq., B.A., who will be glad to receive "Hamerton" Notes, addressed to him at Junior Carlton Club, London, S.W.

Wills, 1383—1787.

- (1) Hamerton, William, 1500, fo. 20, Moore.
- (2) Hamerton, George, 1522, fo. 27, Bodfelde.
- (3) Hamerton, Frances, Augt., 1625, fo. 85, Clark.
- (4) Hamerton, Richard, Septr., 1630, fo. 78, Scroope.
- (5) Hamerton, William, London, 1632, fo. 83, Audelay.
Hamerton, Sarah, London, March, 1647, fo. 57, Fines.
Hamerton, John, London, 1650, fo. 41, Pembroke.
Hamerton, Edmund, Warwick, 1650, fo. 178, Pembroke.
Hamerton, Anthony, ———— 1650, fo. 41, Pembroke.
Hamerton, James, Scotland, Nov. 1657, fo. 480, Ruthen.
Hamerton, Silvanus, Bucks., Dec., 1662, fo. 155, Laud.
Hamerton, Susanna, London, June, 1676, fo. 65, Bence.
- (6) Hamerton, Richard, Pts., June, 1692, fo. 108, Fane.
Hamerton, Maria, Hib., May, 1693, fo. 80, Coker.
Hamerton, John, Middx., July, 1707, fo. 179, Poley.
Hamerton, George, Lincoln, Nov., 1713, fo. 247, Leeds.
Hamerton, William, Lincoln, May, 1716, fo. 98, Fox.
Hamerton, John, Bucks., June, 1716, fo. 117, Fox.
Hamerton, Henry, Bucks., July, 1718, fo. 144, Tenison.
Hamerton, Thomas, Berks., Nov., 1728, fo. 327, Brook.
Hamerton, Pinchback, Berks., Dec., 1729, fo. 339, Abbott.
Hamerton, Neave, Surrey, Sep., 1730, fo. 258, Auber.

- Hamerton, Henry, Bucks., April, 1731, fo. 93, Isham.
 Hamerton, John, Bucks., Jan., 1738, fo. 11, Brodrripp.
 Hammerton, Fry, Pts., Oct., 1745, fo. 275, Seymour.
 Hammerton, Mary, Essex, Sep., 1746, fo. 262, Edmunds.
 Hammerton, Isaac, Surrey, Feb., 1748, fo. 50, Strahan.
 Hamerton, Elizh., Pts., Jan., 1750, fo. 16, Greenley.
 Hammerton, Isaac, Middx., Nov., 1752, fo. 278, Bettesworth.
 (7) Hamerton, William, Middx., March, 1760, fo. 104, Lynch.
 Hammerton, Susanna, Middx., May, 1760, fo. 198, Lynch.

Administrations.

- Hamerton, Edward, Berks., Dec., 1598, fo. 269.
 Hammerton, Richard, London, Feb., 1623, fo. 10.
 Hamerton, George, Lincoln, March, 1653, II. fo. 195.
 (8) Hammerton, Stephen, York, Jan., 1658, fo. 12.
 Hammerton, als. Norbury, Philippa, April, 1671.
 Hamerton, als. Wilson, Anna, Feb. 1672.
 Hamerton, Johannes, Feb., 1684, fo. 20.
 Hammerton, Edward, Oct., 1685.
 Hammerton, Maria, Hib., Feb., 1695.
 Hammerton, Susanna, Middx., Feb., 1695.
 Hammerton, Charles, Middx., June, 1704.
 Hammerton, William, Pts., Jan., 1707.
 Hamerton, John, Southampton, June, 1741.
 Hammerton, Thomas, Pts., Dec., 1741.
 Hamerton, Charles, Middx., May, 1753.
 Hamerton, James, Camb., Jan., 1759.
 Hamerton, John, Bucks., July, 1773.

Notes.

- (1) Of Kingston-on-Thames. Dated 12 Augt., 1500, proved 9th March, 1509 only mentions his wife Margaret.
 (2) Of Monkroyd, Purston-Jacklyn, and elsewhere in Co. York, and of Pulborough, Co. Sussex, Esq. Dated 3 May, 1521, when "about to cross the seas with King's Grace," prd. 19 Nov., 1522, mentions sons John and Roger, and daughter Constance, wife Elizabeth, sister Elizabeth, and late father James and late mother Katherine Hamerton.
 (3) Of St. Clements Danes, London, widow, mentions 4 daughters.
 (4) Of Newmarkett, Co. Camb., Innholder, mentions son Richard and 6 daughters.
 (5) Of London, Skinner, mentions Henry Hamerton.
 (6) Of Clonmell, Tipperary, Ireland, Esqre., dated 22 May, 1680, proved 30 June, 1692. Mentions wife Mary, and "her father-in-law," Captain Thomas Talbot; sons Robert, Benjamin, and Richard, and daughters Anne, Mary, Rose, and Susannah, all living unmarried, and his daughter Sarah, wife of Thos. Bolton, late of Waterford, Esqre.; "Sister," Mary Onge, of

Mewmarket, spinster, and consin Charles Hamerton. Testator strictly entails his large estates at Clonmell, Rathronan, Orchard's Town, and elsewhere in Co. Tipperary, and also mentions property in Kent and Essex. This family is now, I believe, represented by Mrs. Buxton Whalley, of Rathronan House, Co. Tipperary; see Walford's "County Families."

(7) Of Finchley, Co. Middx., Gentn., leaves all his estate at Finchley and elsewhere, to his son William Hamerton, merchant, dated 2 Dec., 1757. Proved 27 March, 1760.

(8) Admon of goods of Stephen Hammerton, late of Hellifield Peele, Co. York, Esqre., decd., granted to Stephen Hammerton, the grandchild and next of kin.

LANGLEY.—Wanted any information about the ancient Yorkshire family of Langley, from whom Thomas Langley, Bishop of Durham, and Lord Chancellor of England in 1425, was descended. His arms were *Paly of six arg. and vert*, the same as the Shropshire Langleys. L.

Hanson Pedigree.

[The following Pedigree is taken from a beautifully written one, on two skins, probably compiled two centuries ago by Hanson the Antiquary, of Woodhouse in Rastrick, in the parish of Halifax. The writer has evidently used a penny wherewith to draw the circles, and has inserted a name in each circle. Under the chief names the arms are delineated in colours, sometimes quarterly, often impaling the wife's arms. Any notes not found on the original, we place in brackets. We purpose supplementing this article by others, bearing on the persons mentioned in this sketch, and the various branches down to the present time. There is, in addition to the twenty-four small shields, a large quartering, a copy of which is presented herewith by the munificence of Sir Reginald Hanson, Knight. Another pedigree on vellum was used by Mr. Watson in his History of Halifax, and was then (i.e. before 1775,) in the possession of Mr. Roger Hanson. This became the property of Mr. John Booth, of Huddersfield, and from it, George J. Armytage, Esq., F.S.A., compiled the Hanson pedigree as given in the "Yorkshire Archæological Journal," Vol. I. Mr. Watson refers to another copy in the hands of the Thornhills of Fixby. We copy from one lent by a gentleman at Whitby.]

Observationes quædam collectæ tam ex antiquis Chartis et Rotulis Curiarum et aliis Scriptis et genealogiis quam de progenia et familia in Rastricke, olim vocat Rastricke ac modo Hanson.



1. Hanson. 2. Rastrick.
3. Woodhouse. 4. Toothill.
(From an Ancient Parchment)

Rogerus de Rastricke vixit in tempore **HENRICI TERTII** Anno Dom. 1251 et nomen ejus reperitur in quam plurimis antiquis Chartis tempore ejusdem Regis inter primarios viros ejusdem Weapontagii, tenuit feodum terræ in Rastricke, Scir-coate et Clayton in Bradford dale, predium in Rastricke et Servitia Diversorum, Nativor' in eadem villa et tenuit diversa' al. terras et t'enta in Rastricke ex Concessione cujusdem Orm de Baccleia [Batley]. Utebatur Sigillo proprio cu' hoc inscriptione

“**Sigillum Rogeri de Rastricke.**”

Hic Rogerus de Rastricke habuit exitum	Hic Rogerus videtur esse filius cujusdem Willi de Binglaya fratris Henrici de Ealand, patr. Johis de Ealand Militis qui huic Rogere concessit predium predictum vocat Lindlands, diversas Bovatas terræ et servit diversor. nativoru' in villa prd.
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[Shield emblazoned, *Argent, a chevron between three roses, gules, seeded proper, for RASTRICKE.*]

Hugo* de Rastricke filium primogenitum qui habuit exitum

[Shield, as above.]

Johannem de Rastricke qui habuit exitum

[Shield, as above.]

Johannem de Rastricke qui habuit exitum

[Shield, as above.]

Henricum de Rastricke qui habuit exitum

[Shield, quarterly, 1 and 4, *Or a chevron counter componed argent and azure, between three martlets, sable, for HANSON; 2 and 3, Argent, a chevron between three roses gules, seeded proper, for RASTRICKE.*]

Johannem Hanson al[iu]s Rastricke qui duxit in uxorem Aliciam filia & hered. Hen. de Woodhouse, habuit exitum *.*

[Alice Woodhouse's pedigree is given thus:]

Alexander Woodhouse qui duxit in uxorem

Beatrice filiam et rectam heredem Tho. de Totehill, qui hab. ex.

[Shield, bearing *Azure a chevron or, on an escutcheon of pretence or, on a chevron sable, three crescents argent, for WOODHOUSE and TOTEHILL.*]

Henricum filium Alex. de Woodhouse,

Beatrix uxorem ejus habuit exitum

Aliciam [as above.] [Shield—Woodhouse and Totehill, quarterly;—1 and 4, *Azure, a chevron between three mullets, or, for WOODHOUSE, and, 2 and 3, Or, on a chevron sable three crescents argent, in chief a crescent sable, for TOTTEHILL.*]

* Mr. Armytage points out that Watson records two other sons of Roger,—John and Simon, and another son of Hugh, by his wife Agnes, viz. William.

[Shield—quarterly, 1 and 4, as above, for Hanson; 2 and 3, as above, for Rastricke; on an escutcheon of pretence, quarterly, 1 and 4, as above, for Woodhouse; 2 and 3, as above, for Totehill.]

[The pedigree from which we copy has evidently three or four generations missing here, which we supply from Mr. Armytage's copy. Nearly all the earlier generations will be found in our list of Rastrick Greaves, see page 34. The issue of John and Alice Hanson was John, of Woodhouse, who married Cecilia de Windebank. Their Arms are given:—Quarterly, 1. Hanson, 2. Rastricke, 3. Woodhouse, 4. Totehill; impaling, *vert, a chevron between three hawks standing, wings expanded, or, for WINDEBANK.* Their son, John, married Cecilia dau. John Ravenshaw (a mistake for Ravenslaw, now Rawnsley,) and bore Quarterly, as above, impaling *sable two bars wavy, argent, on a chief of the second, three ravens proper, for Ravenslaw.* John Hanson, their son, of Woodhouse, married Katherine, dau. John Brooke, “abneptis [great-granddaughter,] Thomæ de Bellamont,” Beaumont. This John bore arms, quarterly as before, impaling *Argent, on a bend sable, a lure, with a line and ring, or, for Brooke.* His son John Hanson, of Woodhouse, in Rastrick, married Agnes, eldest daughter of John Saville, Esquire, and impaled *Argent, on a bend sable three owls of the field, for Saville.*]

. [Here we resume the thread, as given on the vellum before us. It will be seen in the list of John and Agnes Hanson's children that there are two Johns, brothers, living at the same time. Both copies agree in this, and we have met with a few similar instances in the wills at York.

The children of John Hanson by Agnes Saville, not of the John Hanson who married Alice Woodhouse more than a hundred years before, were—]

1st. Johannem H. de Woodhouse qui duxit in uxorem Margaretam 2 filiam & (or et) unam 3 cohæredum Thome Woodhead.

Postea Margaretam fil. Roberti Wade.

[Shield, quarterly, as before, impaling (blank).]

2nd. Edward H. de Woodhouse, qui duxit in uxorem Joanam filiam Edwardi Kaye per quam habuit exitum.

[Shield, quarterly, as before, impaling *Argent, two bends sable, for Kaye.*]

3rd. Thomas Hanson, de Rastricke, qui duxit in uxorem Genetam filiam Johis. Gleadhill de Barsland, vel little Even, per quam hb. exit.

[Shield, quarterly as before, impaling (blank).]

4th. Arthur Hanson. habuit exitum.

[Shield, as in the last.]

5th. Johannem Hanson de Norwood Green qui duxit in uxorem [Elizabetham*?] filiam Jo. Gilderson per quam habuit exitum.

[Shield, as in the last.]

[6th. I believe there was also a son Robert, as will be seen subsequently in copying from two wills.

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John Hanson, by Margaret Woodhead, had issue—]

A. Johannem H. de Woodhouse qui duxit in uxorem

Jennet. filiam et hered. Gulielm. Reynier per quam hab. exitum

[Shield, as in last.] Johannem Hanson obiit infantia & reliquit ejus cohæreds. videlicet Agnet. ux Rich. Lawe, Mari. ux Walter Stanhope, Grat. obiit sine prole, Margarit ux Thomæ Brooke, Kathar. obiit sine prole. [Videlicet . . . prole, is in one circle. Shield, under the infant John's name bears quarterly as before. See the father's will, 1621, in *Biogr. Hx.* p. 338.]

B. Thomam Hanson qui duxit in uxorem

Margarit filiam et coher. Johis Royd de Shaw, in Soyland. [Issue—]

a. Johannem H. obiit in infant.

b. Thoma. H. obiit sine prole.

c. Arthur. nupt Sara. filia. et cohærede. Thom. Bothomley per quam habuit exitum (1) Johan. Hanson, (2) Thomam, (3) Joseph, (4) Richard H. nupt Mariæ filiæ Nath. Croseley, per quam habuit exitum (blank) Hanson; (5) obliterated [Joshua], (6) Judith. nupt. Thom. Taylor hab. exitum.

[This Arthur Hanson resided at Brighouse, where he died in 1661, and was buried at Elland, amongst his ancestors. His wife, Sarah, was buried there in 1643. Of their children we may note in passing that John was buried at Elland in 1623, Thomas was baptized there in 1625, Joseph in 1627, Richard in 1629, Joshua in 1631 and died next year. Judith became the wife of Captain Taylor, a noted Quaker, of Brighouse, mentioned by Oliver Heywood, &c. The Taylors were buried in their garden at Brighouse, two gravestones still remain. Richard Hanson, Judith's brother, was a prominent Quaker, of whom, and his children, hereafter.]

d. Richard Hanson [Arthur's next brother] nupt. Elizabeth. Jenkinson per quam habuit exitum

1st. Thoma. Hanson nupt. Hest. filiam et hered. Johannis farnell habuit exitum a Johannem Hanson duxit [in uxorem] filiam Georgii Booth de Snowden et quam habuit tres filios sex filias [obliterated].

* Elizabeth Hanson, of Lightcliffe, was buried at Halifax in 1570.

b Thoma. Hanson* duxit filiam Anton. foxcroft habuit filium Anthonium. [Shield, quarterly as before, impaling *Sable, a chevron or, between three foxes' heads, gules*, for Foxcroft.]

2nd. Johannem Hanson nupt Eliz. filia. Thom. Brooke de Bayhall in Huth[ers] field. [The pedigree as copied by Mr. Armytage, whilst leaving out the descendants of several branches, gives the issue of John and Elizabeth, viz., John, Richard, Elizabeth, and Mary.]

[Under the name of John Hanson, who married Miss Booth, is a shield bearing Quarterly as before, impaling, *Or three boars' heads couped sable*, for Booth, and their issue is given—] THOMA. HANSON duxit Martham filiam Nathan Gledhill habuit exitum John, Thomas, Nathan, ob., Arthur, George, Edward, Joshua, Richard, Joseph, Maria, Esther, ob. inf., and Agnes: JOHANEM, obiit: GEORGIUM duxit Elizabeth. filiam Johannis Stott. [Their children are given by Mr. Armytage,—John, Roger, Nathan, Robert, Esther, Rebecca, and Elizabeth.]: DOROTHY nupt. Abraham Dyson: MARIA, ESTHER, REBECCA, SARAH, and ELLENOR. [These five in one circle.] Joined to the names of Thomas Hanson and Martha Gledhill is a shield, quarterly as before, impaling Booth in base, as above, and *Argent, three fusils conjoined in fess, azure*, for Gledhill.]

e, f, g, h. Robert, Joseph, Margaret, Judith; [in one circle. The Elland Registers give the following children, Robert buried 1588, Joseph buried 1589, Robert baptized 1593, Joseph baptized 1595, Margaret buried 1583, Catherine buried 1584, Judith baptized 1597.]

C. Nicholas Hanson [= Marie, see her father-in-law's will] qui habuit Robert Hanson, et Doroth. Hanson nupt Johis farrar, armiger. [Shield under Robert's name, quarterly as before.] D. Per ejus secund. uxor [Margaret Wade, had] Judith Hanson nupta' ad Jasp. Blythman, armiger: [also mar. Will. Deyne, see Will.]

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[We now return to Edward (second son of John Hanson by Agnes Saville,) who married Joan Kaye. Their son was—] Thomas Hanson, qui duxit in uxorem Katherinam filiam Thomæ Brooke, de Newhouse, [Huddersfield], per quam habuit exitum

[Shield,—quarterly as before, impaling *Argent on a bend sable, a lure with a line and ring, or*, for Brooke.]

a. 5 filias [in one circle, the sisters, not the daughters, of Edward, as given in Mr. Armytage's transcript] Mariam nupt

* Buried at Elland, Jan. 6, 1695, aged 64.

Wm. Mallinson, Eliz. = Wm. Horton de Barkisland, Katharinam Sharp, postea Ab. Beaumont, Agnet. = Marko Mickethwaite.

b. Edwardum Hanson de Woodhouse qui duxit in uxorem Dorothea. filiam Johis. Gleadhill de Barksland et Cecil, ux. ejus, filia Joh. Thornhill. [Shield,—quarterly as before, impaling *Argent, three fusils conjoined in fess, azure*, for Gleadhill. The son of Edward and Dorothy was—]

Edwardum Hanson de Woodhouse qui duxit in uxorem Janam filiam Thomæ Beamont per quam habuit exitum Johannem, Edwardum, Doroth., Margar., Katherine, Maria., Jana., Eliz., frances, Ceciliam. [Shield,—quarterly as before, impaling *Gules, semee of crescents, a lion rampant, argent, charged with a crescent for difference*, for Beaumont.*]

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Thomas Hanson, of Rastrick, who married Genet Gleadhill, had issue:—

1. Roger.

2. Thomas H., de Rastricke, qui duxit in uxorem Martham filiam Edwardi Naylor et habuit exitum Johannem et Roger, de Rastricke. [Arms, quarterly as before, impaling, *Or, a pale between two lions rampant, sable*, for Naylor.]

3. Johannem H. de Civitat. Londinii, qui duxit in uxorem franciscam filiam Johannis Prichard, et habuit exitum Johan., Thom., et Edwardum Hanson. [Arms, quarterly as before, impaling *Gules, a fess, or, between three escallop shells, argent*, for Prichard.]

4. Robertum H. de Rastrick, nupt. Saram filiam Gulielmi Thorpe.

5. 6. Elizabeth. et Judith Hanson.

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In both pedigrees, the following branch is shewn as descended from the brothers Arthur and John the second, sons of John Hanson by Agnes Savile. I think the will of Arthur, indicates that the line is from him. The issue reads—

1. Johannem Hanson de Norwood Green, hab. ex. Edwardum et Johannem.

2. Edwardum Hanson, hab. ex. Johannem.

3. Margaretam nupt. Richard Wilton.

[John, son of John Hanson, of Hipperholme, was baptized at Halifax in 1541; Isabel, daughter, in 1545. This is the end of the original pedigrees, and Dugdale, in his "Yorkshire Visitation" confirms them in the main to 1666.]

To be continued.

* I must express my indebtedness to Mr. Armytage for the heraldic descriptions.

AMERICAN NOTES.

Boston, U. S. A., March 20th, 1886.

Dear Sir,

Your first number has shewn the existence of a common source of interest in Old England and New England. In the neighbouring city of Cambridge, Mass., we have just celebrated the 250th Anniversary of the establishment of its Church. One of its most noted early pastors was Thomas Shepherd, or Shepard, who was Chaplain to Richard Darley, of Buttercramb, co. York, about 1631, and who married there, as he says, a young gentlewoman, Margaret Tauteville, or Stoteville, a kinswoman of his patron, 1632.

I have attempted to trace her pedigree by the printed Visitations, especially by Mr. Foster's books, and I have been aided by your article on the Alured family.

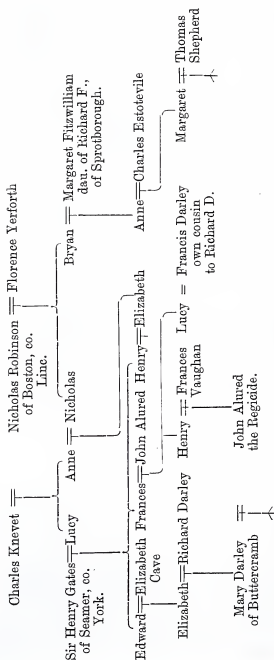
Dugdale's Visitation of 1665, printed by the Surtees Society, says that Margaret, third daughter of Charles Stouteville, of Humany, co. York, (who died in 1622) married — Shepherd.

Her mother was Anne, daughter of Bryan Robinson, of Boston, co. Linc., and the brother of this last (grand-uncle of Mrs. Shepherd), Nicholas Robinson married Anne, daughter of Charles Knevet. Here then I presume is the line of connection. From identity of names, I presume that Lucy, another daughter of Charles Knevet, married Sir Henry Gates, of Semer, and was grandmother of Mrs. Darley, of Buttercramb. Moreover, Henry Gates, uncle of Mrs. Darley, married his own cousin, Elizabeth Robinson, thus strengthening the connection. Though not blood relations, the Estoutevilles and Gates were cousin's cousins.

I annex a pedigree, which, if correct, shows the fact. Only I must point out that Foster, (under Alured), and your article, seem to be wrong in terming the wife of John Alured (the grandfather of the Regicide) Frances, daughter of Sir Francis Gates, of Seamer. Was it not Sir Henry Gates, as Foster has it, under that family?

Shepherd calls Mr. Allured "a most profane young gentleman." "I was desired to preach at their marriage, at which sermon the Lord first touched the heart of Mrs. Margaret with very great terrors for sin, and her Christless estate, whereupon others began to look about them, especially the gentlewoman lately married, Mrs. Allured; and the Lord brake both their hearts very kindly, then others in the family, viz. Mr. Allured. He fell to fasting and prayer, and great reformation; others were also reformed and their hearts changed, the whole family brought to eternal duties; but I remember none in the town or about it brought home."

Shepherd calls his patron a Knight, Sir Richard Darley. He could hardly be mistaken, though the pedigree does not so honor him.



The Robinson Pedigree is printed in *The Genealogist* for 1880, vol. 4, pp. 270-271, in two versions. Both agree that Nicholas and Bryan R. were brothers, and that their mother was Florence Yerforth. The father was Nicholas or Thomas, but Foster (*Yorkshire Visitation*, p. 516, sub nomine Estouteville) decides for Nicholas. Yet he there calls the mother Florence, daughter of Sir Humphrey Still. These errors should be corrected, but luckily they are in the earlier generations, and do not affect my pedigree.

Shepherd was married in 1692. Will your correspondent kindly look for the record at or near Buttercramb, probably in the record from which he obtained the Alured marriage?

Margaret Shepherd's grand-daughter married here, Daniel Quincy, and was the ancestress of President John Quincy Adams.
W. H. WHITMORE.

BANKS.—I am desirous of locating my emigrant ancestor, Richard Bankes, York, Maine, 1640, in his English home, and it occurs to me that a note of inquiry would provoke antiquaries to lend me their assistance. The Bankes family of England all appear to descend from the B's of Yorkshire,—Simon Banke, of Bank Newton in Craven, being the earliest ancestor of them all. I therefore think that an attack at the fountain head would be wise. Unfortunately, thus far I have not been able to fix his age approximately. He came to New England in 1640, and died in 1692. From the birth of his children, I am of the opinion that he was born about 1610. My hopes are that after finding all the Richards B. who were baptized about then to sift him out by a process of exclusion. The only other way is to find him mentioned in a will, specifically as resident in New England—or perhaps some pedigree may do it. At any rate that is my task.

Richard Bankes came to Maine, as I said, in 1640, and settled at a place called by the Indians *Agamenticus*, a name adopted by the English. In 1652 this was changed to *York*, and I have thought that Bankes had some influence in the change, and perhaps with others from the English county, who had emigrated with him, proposed that name in memory of the home shire they had left. Richard Bankes wife was Elizabeth Alcock.

C. E. BANKS,
Chelsea, Mass.

Yorkshire M.P's., 1886.

The Election of 1885, the first of its kind, is so important an event, of such universal interest, and the harbinger of such momentous results, that we gladly avail ourselves, by favour of the publishers of the *Graphic*, of the opportunity of reproducing the portraits of Yorkshire's First Choice.

THE HON. BERNARD COLERIDGE is the eldest son of Lord Coleridge, Lord Chief Justice of England. He was born in 1851, educated at Eton, and Trinity College, Oxford, where he took his B.A. in 1875. He was called to the Bar in 1877, at the Middle Temple; Junior Counsel to the Post Office on the Western Circuit. He married, in 1876, Mary Alethea, daughter of the Bishop of Oxford.



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ARTHUR DUNCOMBE, Esq., is second son of Admiral the Hon. Arthur Duncombe, of Kilnwick Percy, Pocklington, by Delia, daughter of J. Field, Esq., Heaton Hall, near Bradford. He was born in 1840, was educated at Eton, and University College, Oxford; called to the Bar in 1867; J.P. for North and East Ridings. In 1869, he married Katharine, daughter of H. J. N. Milbank, Esq., of Bury St. Edmund's.

CHARLES MILNES GASKELL, Esq., of Thornes House, Wakefield, and Wenlock Abbey, Shropshire, was born in 1842, and educated at Eton, and Trinity College, Cambridge. He was called to the Bar in 1866. He married, in 1876, Lady Catherine Wallop, daughter of the Earl of Portsmouth. He is a J.P. and D.L. for Yorkshire. He has unsuccessfully contested Pontefract, Knaresbro', and Wenlock.

COURTNAY STANHOPE KENNY, Esq., was born in 1847, and educated at Heath (Halifax,) Grammar School and Downing College, Cambridge, of which he is now Fellow. Was President of the Cambridge Union Society. In 1869 he became a Solicitor, but is now a Barrister, and is author of several legal works. He married, 1876, Emily, daughter of W. W. Wiseman, Esq., M.R.C.S.

HENRY FELL PEASE, Esq., son of the late Mr. Henry Pease, was born in 1838. In 1862, he married Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. John Beaumont Pease, of Darlington; J.P. for Durham and North Yorkshire. He is a member of the firm of Sir Joseph Whitwell Pease & Co. He was Mayor of Darlington in 1874-5.

C. E. H. VINCENT, Esq., is the second surviving son of the late Rev. Sir F. Vincent, Bart., Canon of Chichester. He was born in 1848; educated at Westminster and Sandhurst; served (1868-73) in the 23rd Royal Welsh Fusiliers. In 1876, he was called to the Bar, and from 1878 to 1884, was Director of Criminal Investigations. In 1882, he married Ethel Gwendoline, daughter of the late George Moffatt, Esq.

OLD YORKSHIRE M.P.'s.

By THE REV. R. V. TAYLOR, B.A., (*continued*).

NOTE.—Under ALLANSON and ASQUITH, in the previous list, it might be added, that Sir W. Allenson, Knt., Draper, was twice Lord Mayor of York; in 1633 and 1655; and that Sir R. Askwith, Knt., was also twice Lord Mayor of York; in 1606 and 1617. See also Hargrove's "History of York," 3 vols., 1818. And for a long account of JOHN ASGILL, Esq., a very eccentric Irish M.P., who is said to have been born in Leeds about 1658, and died in 1738; see "Supplement to Leeds Worthies," pp. 577-581, with the references there given. And,

in order to render the list still more complete, the four following names of recent M.P.'s. might also be included.

ACLAND, A. H. D., for the Rotherham Division, Yorkshire, West Riding. Mr. Arthur Herbert Dyke Acland is the second son of the Right Hon. Sir Thos. Dyke Acland, M.P., of Killerton, Exeter, by his marriage with Mary, daughter of the late Sir Chas. Mordaunt. He was born in 1847, and educated at Rugby and Christ Church, Oxford. He is Steward of Christ Church, and Senior Bursar of Balliol College. Mr. Acland married, in 1883, Alice Sophia, daughter of the Rev. F. M. Cunningham. A small portrait of him was given in the *Graphic*, for Jan. 9th, 1886.

ANDERSON, CHARLES HENRY, Q.C., M.P. for Elgin and Nairn Counties, of Montague Square, London, was born at the Vicarage, Burneston, Yorkshire, in 1838, and is the youngest son of the Rev. Richard Anderson, of Lincoln, and late vicar of Burneston, near Bedale. He was educated privately, and was awarded two exhibitions by the Council of Legal Education. In 1867 he was called to the Bar at the Inner Temple, and in 1885 was appointed a Queen's Counsel. Mr. Anderson, who married in 1880, Ada, eldest daughter of Mr. Edmund Pontifex, of Cromwell road, London, S.W., unsuccessfully contested this constituency at the General Election of 1885. He was elected in July, 1886, as a Gladstone Liberal.

APPLEYARD, SIR MATTHEW, M.P. for Hedon, and Military Commander, 1660, &c. For an account of whom see Stephen's "Dictionary of National Biography," vol. 2, &c.

ARMITSTEAD, GEORGE, M.P., of Easingwold and Dundee, second son of Geo. Armitstead, Esq., of Easingwold, Yorkshire, for many years settled as a merchant at Riga, was born there in 1824; married, in 1848, Jane Elizabeth, eldest dau. of Edw. Baxter, Esq., of Forfarshire. He was educated at Wiesbaden and Heidelberg, and is a merchant and senior partner of the firms of Messrs. Armitstead in London, and Messrs. Geo. Armitstead & Co., Dundee. He is a Magistrate for Perthshire and Forfarshire, and is a Deputy-Lieutenant for the latter. He is a Liberal, in favour of the pressure of business in Parliament being lightened by a well organized system of County Government, also of Shorter Parliaments, &c. He unsuccessfully contested Dundee, in April, 1859; sat for that town from Dec., 1868, to April, 1878; and was re-elected in April, 1880, &c.

ASQUITH, HERBERT HENRY, M.P. for East Fifeshire, of Eton House, Hampstead, and Paper Buildings, Temple, is the second son of the late Mr. J. D. Asquith, of Croft House, Morley, nr. Leeds, and was born there in Sept., 1852. He was educated at Fulneck, Huddersfield College, the City of London School, and at Balliol College, Oxford, where he took a first class in

Classics, was Craven Scholar, and President of the Union. In 1876 he was called to the Bar at Lincoln's Inn, practises at the Common Law Bar, and is the author of a Handbook on the Corrupt Practices Act. In 1877, he married Helen, daughter of Mr. F. Melland, of Manchester. He was elected the Liberal M.P. for East Fifehire at the last election. For his portrait, see the *Graphic* for Aug. 14th, 1886; see also Smith's "Hist. of Morley," p. 122, &c.

ATKINSON, H. J., was M.P. for North Lincolnshire. Alderman Henry John Atkinson, of Gunnersby House, Acton, and Arthington Hall, near Leeds, who succeeded to the seat held since Dec., 1868, by Mr. Rowland Winn, now Lord St. Oswald, is the second son of the late Mr. Geo. Atkinson, of Hull, and was born in 1828. He is a Magistrate for the Co. of Middlesex and the borough of Hull, of which town he is an Alderman, and has been twice Mayor. He has been President of the Hull Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, was First President of the Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom; one of the Council of the Associated Chamber of Commerce of the United Kingdom; Chairman of the Hull Banking Company, and a Director of the City Bank and of the Star Life Assurance Society. He has been for many years Chairman of the Local Marine Board, Hull, and of the Shipping Committee of the Hull Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, member and ex-president of the General Shipowners' Society, London, and of Lloyd's Register of Shipping, London. A large portrait of him was given in the *Graphic*, about July, 1885. Mr. Atkinson was elected M.P. for Boston, Lincolnshire, at the last election, in July, 1886, when the numbers were:—

H. J. Atkinson, (Conserv.)	1192.
W. J. Ingram, (Lib.)	... 1144.

Majority 48.

And for ACASTIE read ACASTRE.

ALDSTANEMORE, JOHN, a citizen and merchant of York, Sheriff for the city in 1422, Mayor in 1427, and M.P. in the 3rd and 7th of Henry VI. See also "Test. Ebor.," vol. ii., p. 19, &c.

ALWARTHORPE, THOS. DE, held lands in the Wapentake of Bulmer, in the North Riding; was elected M.P. for the city of York, Nov. 12th, 1311, and held the office of bailiff in 1316-17. See also Kirkby's "Inquest," p. 324, &c.

AUSTIN, JOHN, M.P., for Osgoldcross Division, in the West Riding of Yorkshire, and of Red Hill, Castleford, Normanton, is the eldest son of the late Mr. J. Austin, and was born at Kippax, near Leeds. He was educated at Kippax Grammar School, and is a Magistrate for the West Riding; Chairman of the Visiting Committee of the County Justices for York Castle,

and a Member of the West Riding Police Committee, and was for six years Chairman of the Castleford School Board, and has also been President of the Osgoldcross Liberal Association. He is a Gladstonian Liberal, and was elected in July, 1886, in place of Sir John Ramsden.

John Austin, (Glad. Lib.)	4,008.
Sir John Wm. Ramsden, (Union. Lib.)			3,010.

Majority	998.
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BABTHORPE, WM., Yorkshire, 1547 and 1554. Babthorpe, near Selby, was the Country-Seat of the Babthorpes, a very ancient family, who intermarried with the best families in this county. Sir Wm. Babthorpe, in the reign of James I., sold this estate to Mr. Richard Bowes. A father and son, both called Ralph, of this family, were slain in the battle of St. Albans, fighting for Henry VI., and lie buried there, with a Latin Epitaph, which may be translated as follows:—

“The two Ralph Babthorpes, father and son,
Together lie interr'd beneath this stone;
One Squire, one Server, to our Sixth Henry was;
Both died i' th' field, both in their master's cause.”

There was a Robert Babthorpe, Rector of Kirk-Deighton, near Wetherby, from 1537 to 1570, and Prebendary of York; a Richard, Proctor at Oxford, and a Thomas, Prebendary of York. For Sir Robert Babthorpe and Sir John Babthorpe, see Banks's “Walks about Wakefield,” pp. 187, 190, &c. For an account of Robert Babthorpe, D.D., see Wood's “Athen-Oxon.,” vol. ii., p. 45, Appendix; and for their pedigree, see Foster's “Visitations of Yorkshire,” pp. 102, 598; Burton's “Mon. Ebor.,” p. 435; and Camden Society, iv. 101.

BACKHOUSE, EDMUND, Darlington, 1868. Mr. Edmund Backhouse, of Middleton Lodge, near Richmond, Yorks., and the Bank, Darlington, is the eldest son of the late J. Backhouse, Esq., by Hannah, daughter of J. Gurney, Esq.; was born in 1824; and married in 1848, Juliet Mary, daughter of Charles Fox, Esq. He is a J.P. for Co. Durham, and for the North Riding of Yorkshire. See also Burke's “Landed Gentry,” &c.

BACON, NIC., Beverley, 1563.

BAGNALL, CHARLES, Whitby, 1865. Mr. Charles Bagnall, of Sneaton Castle, Whitby, was born in 1827; educated at King's College, London, and died at Brighton, where he had gone for the benefit of his health, in Feb., 1884, aged 57. About 20 years ago he came to Whitby, and in conjunction with his brother, Mr. T. Bagnall, built the Grosmont Ironworks. He was Chairman of the Whitby bench of Magistrates, and was well known as a Cleveland ironmaster. He was married to Miss Chapman, of Whitby, many years ago, and left a family.

He was an eloquent and pungent speaker, and an exceedingly accomplished, scholarly, and well-informed man, as his lectures and orations on various historical, literary, and social topics fully demonstrated. He was a zealous friend of popular education, and some years since he honourably distinguished himself by his public advocacy of the adoption of the Free Libraries Act in Whitby, but was defeated. At Grosmont, where his works are located, he was prominently identified with religious, educational, industrial, and co-operative advancement. His urbanity as a gentleman, and his charming manners in private life, joined to his brilliant wit and fine conversational powers, made him a general favourite in all circles of society. Doubtless a portrait of him would be given in 1865.

BAILLIE, COL. JOHN, Beverley, 1820 and 1826; died April 20th, 1833.

BAINES, EDWARD, SEN., Leeds, 1834, 35, and 37; senior proprietor of the *Leeds Mercury*, died Aug. 3rd, 1848, aged 74. See his "Life," by his Son, and the "Worthies of Leeds, &c.," pp. 435-44, with references. There are several portraits of him; with an original one, by Waller, at the Leeds Mechanics' Institute; and a fine Statue of him in the Leeds Town Hall. See Ward's "Men of this Reign," 1885; and Stephen's "Dictionary of National Biography," &c.

BAINES, EDWARD, JUN., Leeds, 1859-'65-'68; now Sir Edward, Knight, is the second son of the late Edw. Baines, Esq., (who was M.P. for Leeds 1834-41), by Charlotte, daughter of Mr. Matthew Talbot, of Leeds; was born in 1800, and married in 1829, Martha, daughter of Thos. Blackburn, Esq., of Liverpool; was educated at Manchester, is a J.P. and Dep. Lieut. for the West Riding of Yorkshire; Proprietor and late Editor of the *Leeds Mercury*; is the Author of the "History of the Cotton Manufacture," &c.; President of the Yorkshire Union of Mechanics' Institutions, and Chairman of the Yorkshire College, Leeds. For a long sketch of him, see the *Biograph*. There are several portraits of him, as the one in "Old Yorkshire," vol. I., &c. See "Notable Living Yorkshiremen," in the *Yorkshireman* for 1877, No. 1.; and Stephen's "Dictionary of National Biography"; &c.

BAINES, MATH. TALBOT, Hull, 1847, and 1852. See next; and Gunnell's "Hull Celebrities," p. 478.

BAINES, RT. HON. M. T., Leeds, 1852, and '57. He was the eldest son of the late Edward Baines, Esq., by Charlotte, dau. of Matthew Talbot, Esq., of Leeds. He was educated at the Richmond Grammar School, under the Rev. James Tate, and at Trinity College, Cambridge. He was called to the Bar, and became a Q.C. in 1841. He became President of the Poor Law Board, and Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster. He died Jan. 23rd, 1860, aged 61. See "Leeds Worthies," pp. 482-6,

with references. There are several portraits of him. See Ward's *Men of this Reign*, 1885; and Stephen's "Dictionary of National Biography," &c.

BAKER, WILLIAM, Aldborough, 1777 and 1778.

BALDWIN, WM., Malton, 1795.

BALFOUR, G. W., Leeds Central, 1885-'6. Mr. Gerald Wm. Balfour, son of Mr. James Maitland Balfour, of Whittinghame, Haddingtonshire, by Lady Blanche Cecil, daughter of the second Marquess of Salisbury, was born in 1853, and educated at Eton and Trinity College, Cambridge, where he took a first-class in the Classical Tripos of 1874, and was subsequently elected Fellow. Since that period he was occupied for some years as Lecturer of his college. On the accession of the Conservative Government, he was appointed private Secretary to his brother, the President of the Local Government Board. A portrait of him was recently given in the *Yorkshire Post*, &c.

BANKS, RICHARD, Knaresboro', 1572.

BARONIA, WM. DE, York, 1328.

BARRAN, JOHN, Leeds, 1876-'80. Mr. Barran is the son of J. Barran, Esq., of New Wandsworth, Surrey, by Elizabeth, daughter of T. Fletcher, Esq., was born in 1821; married in 1842, Ann, daughter of Major Hirst, of Leeds; is a Magistrate, and ex-Alderman of Leeds. He was Mayor of Leeds in 1870, and 1872. He married, secondly, in 1878, Eliza, widow of John Bilton, Esq., of Park Lea, Scarborough. He has been President of the Leeds Chamber of Commerce, and also of the Leeds Liberal Association. On Mr. R. M. Carter accepting the Chiltern Hundreds, a new writ was issued for Leeds, in Aug., 1876, when Mr. J. Barran, Lib., received 16,672 votes, and Mr. W. L. Jackson, Cons., 13,774. For a good portrait of him see "*Old Yorkshire*," vol. 2, p. 187, by Waterlow & Sons, London, with facsimile of Autograph. Mr. Barran was elected M.P. for the Otley Division, at the last election, in June, 1886, when the numbers were:—

John Barran, (Glad. Lib.) ... 4,245.

Sir A. Fairbairn, (Union. Lib.) 3,361.

Majority 884.

BARRETT, S. B. M., Richmond, 1820 and 1826.

BARTLETT, ASHMEAD, Sheffield, Ecclesall, 1885-'6. Mr. E. Ashmead Bartlett is the eldest son of the late Ellis Bartlett, of Plymouth, by Sophia Ashmead, daughter of the late John King Ashmead. He was born in 1848; and was educated at Christ Church, Oxford, where he graduated B.A., 1869. He was President of the Oxford University Debating Society, and was called to the Bar at the Inner Temple, in June, 1877. He has held the office of an Examiner in the Education Department, which he resigned in 1880. He is brother to Mr. Ashmead

Bartlett, who married Lady Burdett-Countts, and has since taken her name. There was a portrait of the above M.P. recently given in the *Yorkshire Post*.

BARTON, THOMAS, York, 1449.

BASY, ROGER, M.P., York, 1294. Roger, son of Walter Basy, was bailiff of York in 1272-3 and 1282-3, mayor in 1290 and 1292, and M.P. in 1294-5. On March 10, 1301, Sir Philip Chauncy confirmed to Roger Basy, senior, citizen of York, one moiety of the manor of Bilburgh, which the said Roger had of the gift of Sir Simon de Chauncy (see "York Corporation Papers," ii. 918). In the 32nd Edw. I. he had a charter of free warren in Bilburgh and Sandwath (see "Col. Rot. Chart," 135), and in 1310 founded a Chantry in his parish church of St. Mary Bishophill Senior, York. By Alice, his wife, Roger Basy left issue two sons, Roger, lord of Bilbrough in 1316, and Richard. See also Kirkby's "Inquest," p. 219, &c.

BATES, SIR EDMUND, Plymouth, 1871. He is a son of the late Mr. Joseph Bates, of Spring Hall, near Halifax, Yorkshire, by his marriage with Rebecca, daughter of the late Mr. Joseph Walker, and was born in the year 1816. He is an extensive Shipowner and East India Merchant at Liverpool, and a Magistrate and Deputy-Lieutenant for Lancashire. He has sat as M.P. for Plymouth from 1871 down to the present time. Sir Edmund Bates has been twice married, firstly, in 1837, to Charlotte, daughter of Mr. C. Smith; and secondly, in 1844, to Ellen, daughter of the late Mr. Thos. Thompson, of Hessele, Yorkshire. His eldest son, Mr. Edw. Percy Bates, who was born in the year 1845, is married to Miss Constance Elizabeth Graves, second daughter of the late Mr. Samuel R. Graves, sometime M.P. for Liverpool.

BATHURST, JOHN, M.D., Richmond, 1656-'58. John Bathurst, M.A. of Cambridge, and M.D. of Oxford, Feb. 1st, 1642, was a practitioner in London, and a burgess in Richmond, Yorks., to serve in that Parliament called by Oliver in 1656, and for that called by Richard Cromwell in 1658. He is said to have kept his Lord's days' fees as a bank for the poor, which was so far from lessening his income, that by the blessing of God upon his practice, it was in a few years greatly augmented by it; for though, at his first coming to London, he brought little property with him, and there had small acquaintance, Yorkshire being his native county, where he had spent his former days, yet the Lord was pleased so to prosper him in his calling that in twenty years' time he purchased lands of inheritance to the value of £1,000 per annum, to speak what we know to be certain, for in the repute of some his estate at his death was no less than £2,000 of yearly value. He died April 19th, 1658, having married at Marske, in Swaledale, Jan. 27th, 1635-6, Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Brian Willance, of Clints; and left

issue—Christopher, M.D., Theodore, of Leeds; and Charles, a twin with Constance, buried in great state at St. John's Church, Leeds, March 28th, 1681. See also Thoresby's "Diary," vol. i., p. 81; Turner's "Hist. of Providences," chap. 76, p. 96; Wood's "Athen. Oxon.," vol. iv., Appendix, p. 11; and Munk's "Roll of the Royal College of Physicians," ed. 1878, vol. i., p. 222, &c. Stephen's "Dictionary of National Biography," vol. 3, &c.

BATHURST, THEODORE, Richmond, 1690. Theodore Bathurst, M.A., a learned and ingenious gentleman, then living in Leeds, though a member of the Bathurst family of Northamptonshire, was the son of the above John Bathurst, M.D., of Richmond, Yorks., who died in 1659. He became a student at Pembroke College, Cambridge, which was his father's college, and that to which Spenser, the poet, had belonged, and while there he translated into Latin verse Spenser's "Shepherd's Calendar," which work of his was published in 1653, by Dr. Wm. Dillingham, of Emmanuel College. In the dedication to Francis Lane, Esq., the author is said to have been "*Poeta non minus elegans, quam gravis, idem postea theologus;*" and in a letter of Sir Richard Fanshawe, addressed to Evelyn, on his translation of the first book of "Lucretius," dated at Tankersley, in South Yorkshire, Dec. 27, 1653, it is spoken of as an admirable work. This Theodore is the "Lawyer Bathurst," who resided in John Harrison's house, in Briggate, opposite Boar Lane, and whom Thoresby speaks of with respect more than once; and when the father of the pious antiquary died in 1679, Mr. Bathurst wrote a long Elegy, which is printed in the "Ducatus." He married Lettice, only daughter of Sir John Repington, of Leamington; and left issue—Charles, whose son Charles, was afterwards M.P. for Richmond, &c. For a pedigree of the Bathurst family, see Thoresby's "Duc. Leod.," p. 13 or 16; Canon Raine's account of Marske, in Swaledale; Hasted's "Hist. of Kent," General Harrison's "Hist. of North Yorkshire," i. 207; the "Genealogist;" and the "Yorkshire Archæological Journal," vi. 267, &c. Stephen's "Dictionary of National Biography," vol. 3, &c.

BATHURST, CHARLES, Richmond, 1727. He was also High Sheriff of Yorkshire, in the above year, and was the son of Chas. Bathurst, Esq., of Clints and Skutter-Skelf, Yorks., who was the son of the above Theodore Bathurst, M.A., of Leeds, whose son Charles was born in 1673, and was buried at Rudby-in-Cleveland, July 3rd, 1724; having married in 1700, Frances, daughter and heiress of Thos. Potter, of Leeds, merchant, by Mary, daughter and heiress of Edw. Langsdale, of Leeds, M.D. She was buried at St. Martin's, in Micklegate, York, Jan. 28th, 1723-4. Their son, Charles, the above M.P., was buried at Rudby, Sept. 24th, 1743; and tradition tells us that he had become insane. He is said on one occasion to have thrown a

waiter down the stairs of his own house, the King's Head Inn, at Richmond. The poor fellow had his leg broken; and when the landlord ventured to remonstrate with Mr. Bathurst, he calmly told him "to put it in the bill." See Canon Raine's account of Marske, Swaledale, in the "Yorkshire Archæological Journal," part 22, pp. 267-71, &c.

BATLEY, CHAS. H., Beverley, 1826.

BAUMBERGH, ROBERT, Scarboro', 1415 and 1425.

BAYNES, ADAM, Leeds, 1654-'58. He was the son of Robert Baynes, Esq., of Knowsthorpe, nr. Leeds, was born Dec. 22nd, 1620-1, and became the "first Parliament man for Leeds," during the Commonwealth. He had been an officer in the Parliamentary army, under General Lambert, and was returned as Member for Leeds in 1654 and 1658; there was then an Adam Baines, M.P. for Appleby. (Query: was he this Adam, or another?) Captain Baynes was the only representative the borough had till the passing of the Reform Bill in 1832; though Francis Alanson, the elder, gent., is also stated to have been member for Leeds in 1656, together with Captain Baynes, in the "Parliaments of England," &c. He married Martha, dau. of Richard Dawson, Esq., who, after having had 16 children, died in July, 1713, aged 88 years. The eldest son, Robert Baynes, who died in 1697, married Dorothy, daughter of Sir Wm. Lowther. The estate at Knostrop continued till very recently with his descendants. The late Rev. Adam Baynes, of Adstock Rectory, Bucks., had a fine, full-length portrait of Capt. Adam Baynes, by Sir Peter Lely; and also one of his wife, Martha Dawson, by Vandyke, full-length, which are now in possession of his son, Edw. Robert Baynes, Esq., of Church Street, Aylesbury. For his pedigree and coat-of-arms, &c., see Thoresby's "Duc. Leod.," p. 101; and for two or three of Baynes's letters, see Whitaker's "Loidis," p. 91; Parson's "Hist. of Leeds," vol. i., p. 103; and Hailstone's "Portraits of Yorkshire Worthies," No. 94, &c. See also "Letters of Roundhead officers, addressed to Capt. Adam Baynes," published by the Bannatyne Club, 1856. Stephen's "Dictionary of National Biography," vol. 3, &c.

BAYNTUN, SAMUEL A., York, 1830-'33; died Sept. 28th, 1833; see Hoare's "Wiltshire," and Burke's "Extinct Baronetcies."

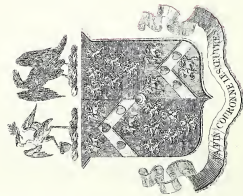
BEAULIERK, HON. AM., Aldboro', 1768; most probably of the Duke of St. Alban's family.

BEAULIERK, CHRIS. GEO., Aldboro', 1796. For their pedigree, see Berry's "Sussex Genealogies," Burke's "Landed Gentry," Ormerod's "Cheshire," Edmondson's "Baron. Geneal.," and Brydges's "Collins Peerage," &c.

BEAUCOLES, JOHN, Scarboro', 1851.

(To be continued.)

Brief Biographical particulars would be gladly received for those not given. R.V.T.



John Parker?



Thomas Leach

Family of Yarker.

All the existing members of this name, beyond doubt, derive from Leyburn, in the parish of Wensley, N. R. co. York, where a branch of the family have occupied Leyburn Hall for many centuries.

The earlier generations of the family are not clearly defined, and probably the only source of this information is the Baronial Court Rolls of the Scropes, but unfortunately they are not accessible to the genealogist.

There is an old tradition in the family, probably founded on some lost record, that the original name was Leyburn, and that Yarker had been adopted as a personal characteristic, the word Yarker implying any large sized object. It is certain that a family of the name of Leyburn held the same lands, under like secondary tenure, for about three centuries, and that Members of this Leyburn family spread thence over the three Ridings of Yorkshire.

So far the earliest mention of the name is a deed whereby Henry IV. leases 60 acres of land at Gamlingay, to William Yarker, Armiger. There is every likelihood that he was a Leyburn man. The Nevilles were at that date (1399) Lords of Wensley, and were the first to welcome Henry IV. on his landing in Yorkshire, and the use of the term Armigero, implies that William Yarker was a soldier.*

This deed is thus translated from the abbreviated Latin by Marmaduke Dolman, Esq., Barrister at Law. (Fine Rolls, 1 Henrici IV., vol. 7, page 188). "About the giving in Custody. The King, to all whom these presents shall come, health &c. Know ye that under the security of Johis Spencer Armigri, of the County of Cantabr., and Stephi Grymeston, citizen and tanner, of London, We have committed to Willo. Yarker, Armigro, the custody of one messuage, sixty acres of land, and two and a half acres of wood, with the appurtenances situated at Gamlyngye, in the county aforesaid, which were formerly Edmund Avenels, and which Robtus Bealknap, who forfeited the same to Lord Richard, late King of England, the second after the conquest, held under a grant from J. late Bishop of Lincoln, and by virtue of a Judgment given against him, the said Robm. in a recent parliament, came into our hands and

* Since writing this have discovered the name Johannes Yarker in the W. R. Subsidy Roll of 1379, twice under Otley and Bingley. Would the same name be taxed twice for holdings in each place, or as the Roll includes 16 years of age, will they be father and son? The Otley name is preceded by that of Johannes Neuill. It will be necessary to consult the Roll of the N. and E. Ridings. No doubt the Thomas Yarker arrested at Wakefield, 1453, would belong this branch. Adjoining Otley, in the parish of Adle, was a place called Yuerker, belonging to Kirkstall Abbey, and Dugdale's Monasticon has several deed references thereto.

remains at the present time in our hands, and to have and to hold the said messuage, land and wood, so long as the same shall happen to remain in our hands, paying rent thereout to Us, the sum of twenty-eight shillings yearly, at the Feast of Easter and the Feast of St. Michael, in equal payments, also keeping up the houses and edifices to the said messuage and land belonging or appertaining, so long as he shall have the custody aforesaid. In witness whereof &c. Witness the King at Westminster, the 21st day of November. By Treasury Bill &c."

Here it may be mentioned that according to a volume of the published government Records, a John Spencer was resident at Wensley in 1350, and the name of Grymestone is that of an old Yorkshire family, one of whom gave evidence in the armorial controversy between Scrope and Grosvenor in 1385.

Burke in his pedigree of the family alludes to a Reinhold Yarker who was living about 1461, tem. of the Wars of the Roses, and it is said in some old tract that one of the name was burnt for Heresy, at Durham, about the year 1440, but we have been unable to verify it. But General Plantagenet Harrison has discovered (in *Quo Warranto* Roll, N. 1/35. No. 194,) that Thomas Yarker, alias Yerkcart, was taken prisoner at Wakefield, 31 Hen. VI. (1453), as per Gaol delivery at York. The remainder of the document is torn off.

The early entries of the name in the parish Register of Wensley, (extracted by the Honorable and Reverend Thomas Orde Powlett) is that of Thomas Yarker de Leybourne, buried April 28, 1549, and of Anna Yarker, buried April 14th, 1541.

Robert Yarker married at Wensley, Sept. 22, 1549, Margaretta Jayks, (Genl. Harrison gives a pedigree of this family,) and secondly, Katherine Yarker, Nov. 6, 1554, he seems to have had no issue of either marriage, and perhaps resided about Redmire, on Scrope lands, as another branch of the family, a Wm. Yarker born at Leyburn in 1601, went to reside there. This marriage of a cousin in 1554, would necessarily carry the name at Leyburn to about 1440.

Thomas & Anna were doubtless the parents of the following—

William Yarker de Laybourne, born before 1510, and buried at Wensley, Feb. 5, 1577. General Harrison finds that he was horsed and harnessed as a Billman fit for the wars, at the Muster of Middleham, in 1539, and that in 1543 and 4, he paid subsidy on goods. He had a sister Alicia buried at Wensley, Jany. 26, 1577, and probably Katherine who married Robert Yarker in 1554, her cousin. He left the following family on his death, of whom four were born before the commencement of parish Registers in 1538.

Henry Yarker de Laybourne, born before 1538, d. s. p. 1596. He married at Wensley, May 12, 1560, Alizon, sister of

Christopher and Thomas Hodgeson, who was buried there July 21, 1601.

(2) Jeanetta, md. at Wensley to Thomas Hodgeson, May 12, 1566, and had 6 children in 1596.

(3) Elizabeth, md. at Wensley to John Atkinson, May 15, 1569, and had 3 children in 1596.

(4) Anna, md. at Wensley to Wm. Hodgeson, Aug. 20, 1571.

(5) John Yarker, baptized at Wensley, May 16, 1541. His children settled about Raby, and John Yarker was a Raby tenant at Eggesfield in 1614.

(6) Thomas Yarker, baptized at Wensley, March 25, 1546.

(7) Reynold Yarker, de Laybourne, baptized at Wensley, Dec. 1, 1549. During the lifetime of the eldest brother Henry, he held a portion of his lands, and when Henry died, in 1596, he left the whole to him by will "under leave of the very good Lord, Lord Thomas Scrope." In 1605, according to General Harrison, he purchased from Sir Wm. Gascoigne, Knt., and Barbara his wife, one messuage, one garden, ten acres of woodland, fifteen acres of meadow, fifteen acres of pasture, and common of pasture for all cattle in Leyburn, in the 3 James I. He married and left a family of four children, and was buried at Wensley, July 18, 1623.

As a detailed pedigree of all branches of the family has been printed for private circulation, by Mr. John Yarker, of Withington, nr. Manchester, we will here only indicate the succession from this point, and the derivation of the various branches of the name.

John Yarker, (the eldest male heir of William Yarker, who was born before 1510), removed from Leyburn, and when Henry Yarker, of Leyburn, died in 1596, he left £5 "to my brother John Yarker, his son Michael," and to . . . Yarker, his daughter, a browne whye. This Michael Yarker married twice, and settled in 1635, upon the Bowes estate at Streatlam, Durham, with several sons. He was buried at Barnard Castle, May 14, 1654, his wife Jane (probably Gregory) Jany. 28, 1680. His son John resided at Keverstone Low House, Langley Dale, 1657. Thomas, md. in 1643, and settled at Cleatham, in the parish of Staindrop, but moved about and married a second time. Gregory held his father's house at Streatlam, and though he married and had two children both must have died young. Henry had part of Streatlam and married three wives. William married twice and resided at Stainton. All these branches seem to have died out with the exception of that of Matthew, son of Michael Yarker, baptized at Barnard Castle, June, 1640, he married at Staindrop, Elizabeth Coates, Sept. 7, 1669, and had a son Michael Yarker, born Dec. 27, 1670, who removed to Thorniscales, co. Westmoreland, and md. Janet, dau. of John Wharton, (Bapt. Oct. 19, 1673, md. Jany. 24, 1696,

buried at Brough, Dec. 27, 1727). Their eldest son, John Yarker, of Hartley Castle, had three sons; Robert the ancestor of Yarkers of Ulverston, now represented by the Rev. John Yarker, S.C.L., Vicar of St. John the Baptist, Isleworth, Middlesex. (2) John the ancestor of Wm. late Vicar of Ravenstonedale, and John Yarker of Withington, Manchester, Hon. F.T.S., F.S.Sc., (Gold Medallist), Chevalier of the Constantinian Order of St. George, and of the Star of Merit of H. H. the Rajah S. M. Tajore. (3) Thomas, whence are derived the Yarkers of Westmoreland and Canada.

Thomas Yarker, (the third son of Wm., born before 1510), is believed to be the ancestor of the Yarkers of Barton, (Lanslot, born about 1614, baptized a daughter there in 1653.) and of Whorlton. These latter were resident at Whorlton before 1675, and were Roman Catholics, and John Yarker (born 1680) md. about 1700, Pennington, the daughter of Ambrose Johnson, of Whorlton, at a small Roman Catholic Chapel on Thorp Green, or Spreswell, in the parish of Wycliffe. (Elizth. Johnson md. John Chapman, of Barnard Castle, and Fortune Johnson md. Francis Wycliffe.) The Johnsons seem to have had an estate of £600 a year at Whorlton, and Francis Wycliffe received from one of his brothers-in-law an estate of £300 a year, yet the representative of the family died a penniless day labourer, working for the Vicar of Staindrop. John and Pennington Yarker, of Highley Hall, (an old seat of the Scropes) had a family of 8 children, and they too were reduced to poverty, Pennington who lived to be near 100 years of age, depending upon a small annuity paid her by Miss Maire, of Lartington, of which family Wm. was a R. C. bishop at Elvet, Durham, and another (Marmaduke) died at Douay. The descendants of the Barton branch, and of John and Pennington Yarker are found at Manchester and scattered over Yorkshire.

Reynold Yarker, (the youngest son of Wm., born before 1510) inherited the estate at Leyburn, and his descendants have held a distinguished position at Leyburn Hall, down to the present time. But in all these 300 years they have never produced a second enduring branch. Wm. Yarker, born at Leyburn in 1601, held lands at Redmire, and East Bolton, subject to the heirs of the late Emanuel, Lord Scrope, it died out in three generations; another branch was seated at Middleham, John Yarker built Grove House, and had a son, Wm. Luke Yarker, Registrar of Middleham, born 1747, buried at Fairfield, Buxton, Derbyshire, June 27, 1802, aged 55 years.

Mr. John Yarker, of Withington, nr. Manchester, would be much obliged to any one who will furnish him with any early reference to the name, and especially any parish register extracts between 1570 and 1640.

Pedigree of Eure of Belton, &c.—Continued.

Sir Robert de Eure (3rd son of John Fitz Robert, Baron of Warkworth), added three fleur de lis on the sable bend in his paternal shield to difference his arms from those of his elder brothers, John, styled de Clavering, who as eldest used the plain bend of his father, and Hugh de Eure, knight, who charged the bend with three escallops. He had Belton in the Isle of Axholme, and other lands in Lincolnshire. By his wife Isabella, dau. and coh. of Roger de Merley, Baron of Morpeth, co. Northumberland, he had a son and heir. (Arms *Quarterly or, and gu. on a bend sa. three fleur de lis arg.*, Eure of Belton, imp. *Barry of eight arg. and gu., a bord. az. charged with as many martlets or.* Merley.) These arms and the others given below are from an ancient roll of arms of the matches of Eure of Belton.

Sir Robert de Eure who probably died v.p. (arms 1 and 4, Eure, 2 and 3, Merley), having left a son

Stephen de Eure, who died 41 Edw. III. (1367), Inq. P. M., who by his wife Margaret, dau. and coh. of Sir Peter Lound, Knt., had a son and heir, (arms, 1 and 4, Eure, 2 and 3, Merley, imp. *arg. fretty az.*, Lound).

Sir John de Eure, ob. 20 Feb., 11 Ric. II. (1388), Inq. P. M., Robert, his son and heir, being then aged 41 years and more. It would appear to have been this John who erected a parting cross at the place where Mowbray parted from his duchess. His wife was a dau. and h. of . . . Lincoln of . . . (arms, 1 and 4, Eure, 2, Merley, 3, Lound; imp. *arg. on a cross az. five estoils or.* Lincoln.), by her he had a son and heir,

Robert de Eure, who married Catherine, dau. of . . . Chauncye, Baron of Skirpenbec, (arms, 1, Eure, 2, Merley, 3, Lound, 4, Lincoln; imp. *Gu. a cross patoncee arg., on a chief or, a lion pass. gard: az.* Chauncye.) His son,

John de Eure, married Margaret, dan. of Sir Richard Tempest, Knt., (arms, 1, Eure, 2, Merley, 3, Lound, 4, Lincoln; imp. *Arg. a bend betw. six martlets sa.;* Tempest.), and was succeeded by his son,

Sir Hugh de Eure, whose wife was . . . dau. of . . . Gascoigne, of . . . (arms, Eure, quarterly as the last, imp. *arg. on a pale sa., the head of a conger eel coupé erect or.* Gascoigne.) He was father of

John Eure, of Belton; it was this John Eure who built the large Hall at Westgate, between Sandtoft and Belton, which afterward became the property of the Rythers, part of it was standing in 1880, and on a string course could be traced "J. EWR. A.D. 1519 E.I.O.P." (Vide Stonehouse, History of the Isle of Axholme.) He married . . . dau. and h. of . . . Gardener, of . . . (arms, 1, Eure, 2, Merley, 3, Lound, 4,

Lincoln, imp. *Barry of eight arg. and gu., a horse's head couped or.* Gardener.) His son and heir,

John Eure, ob. v. p. 26 Oct., 1512, Inq. P. M., 3 Hen. VIII., seized of Bottesworth, &c., his son and h. Robert, being then aged 20 years and more. He married Eleanor^d dau. and h. of . . . Cudworth, (arms, 1 and 6, Eure, 2, Merley, 3, Lound, 4, Lincoln, 5, Gardener; imp. *or, three piles sa. on a canton arg. a fleur de lis of the second.* Cudworth.), and had issue—

I. Robert Eure, s. and h., below.

II. William, witness to the will of his brother Robert.

III. John, who had a son,

(I.) Thomas Eure, (Urie) of Bottesworth, ob. 12 Sept., 1615, Inq. P. M., married Mary . . . (? Thornton) and had

(1) Thornton Eure, who mar. Mary . . . and had a son, Thomas Eure (Urie). (2) William. (3) Nicholas.

(4) Thomas. These are all named in the Inq. 1615, of Thomas Eure, of Bottesworth.

Robert Eure, (s. and h. of John) ob. 1528, Inq. P. M. 19 Hen. VIII. His will dated 15 Feb., 1526, mentions his lands at Belton, &c., co. Lincoln, and in Yorkshire, his wife's father, Ralph Reresby, and his own s. and h. then under age. He married Isabella, dau. of Ralph Reresby, Esq., of Thryburgh, (who d. 1530) co. Lincoln, (arms, 1, Eure, 2, Merley, 3, Lound, 4, Lincoln, 5, Gardener, 6, Cudworth; imp. *Gu. on a bend arg., three crosses patoncee sa.; Reresby.*)—by his wife Margaret, dau. of Sir Richard Fitz William, of Aldwarke, and had issue, three sons and four daughters, the former were

I. Robert Eure, s. and h., below.

II. William, probably the person recorded by an old floor slab in the north aisle of Belton Church, on which were the arms of Eure, and a partly obliterated inscription, viz. "Hic Jacet Willius Evers, armiger, et Agnes uxoris filia et hœres Willi Caisu," vide Stonehouse, History of the Isle of Axholme.

III. Thomas Eure, of Ormsley.

Robert Eure, (s. and h. of Robert) ob. 20 Dec., 1558. His will dated the 12 Dec., 1558, names his wife, children, brother John Vavasour, and his lands in Lincolnshire, Nottinghamshire, and Yorkshire. In it he desires to be buried in the chauntry choir at Belton. By Inq. P. M. we learn that he held Belton Hall, Lucas Croft, 10 acres; Blein Croft, 8 acres; and Rose Croft in Belton, Isle of Axholme, and other lands in Lincolnshire, Nottinghamshire, and Yorkshire. He married Mary, dau. of Sir Peter Vavasour, Knt., by his wife Elizabeth, dau. of Lord Windsor; (arms, 1, Eure, quarterly of six as the last; imp. *or, a fesse dancette sa., a crescent arg., on the fesse, for diff: Vavasour.*) He had issue, four sons and six daughters, viz. Bridget, Eleanor, Margaret, Ann, Dorothy, Mary; the arms of matches of five of these daughters are given at the end of the

roll of arms already referred to as the authority for the various coats given above, they are, 1st *arg. a fesse embattled counter embattled betw. three escallop shells sa.* Beckingham; imp. Eure of Belton. 2nd *Arg. seven lozenges conjoined, three three and one, gu.,* Pægis. imp. Eure of Belton. 3rd *Az, a fesse dancettee or, betw. eight garbs of the second, banded gu., in chief a crescent arg.,* for diff.; Dolman, imp. Eure of Belton. 4th *Sa, three buglehorns arg. stringed or.* Bellingham, imp. Eure of Belton. 5th *Arg. on a chief sa. three griffin's heads erased or;* Lindley, imp. Eure of Belton. The sons were

I. Sir Peter Eure, s. and h., below.

II. Ralph.

III. William.

IV. Robert.

Sir Peter de Eure, (s. and h. of Robert) ob. 1612, Inq. P. M. 10 James I. He was aged 20 years at his father's death. In June, 1574, he was charged with having been incited to counterfeit foreign coin, but on voluntarily acknowledging it was discharged by the Privy Council. His will mentions his four sons and two daughters, his manor house in Washington, capital messuage in Belton, Cannonhurst, Hurst close, &c. He married . . . dau. of (? John) Meres, of . . . (arms, Eure quarterly of six as above, imp. *Gu. a fesse betw. three water bougets Erm.*; Meres, with this shield ends the roll of arms of matches from which the arms have been given. Sir Peter was knighted at the Charterhouse, 11 May, 1603. His sons were

I. Ralph Eure, s. and h., below.

II. Edward Eure, who it was, probably, who purchased the manor of Bucknall, co. Oxford, about 1630, in which year Edward Eure, of Bucknall, was one of the Oxfordshire gentry having estates of £40 and upwards, summoned to compound for not being knighted; he paid s. 50, d. 4. He also possessed the manor of Misterton and other lands in Oxfordshire. By his will dated 8 Dec., 13 Ch. I., 1636, he gives to his daughter Prudence Forener £1500, to daughter Ellen £200, and to live with her mother, daughter Jane to have £35 per ann. out of the manor of Odington (or Ordington). His eldest son to have all his household stuff at Bucknell, except the bed he lies on, being in the kitchen at Bucknell, and the bed his sister Poure did lie on, "being as they say of Irish wood, and was the Lady Gifford's, my wife's grandmother." All his household stuff, brass and pewter, at Minster Lovell, to his wife for life, remainder to his daughter Prudence Forener. His eldest son to have the great brass pot that was his brother Poures, and the iron chest, now both at Bucknell, and also the leases of Minster Lovell and the manor of Ordington. Refers to an indenture made on the marriage of his son Francis 'with his now wife,' by which provision was made for him out of Bucknell Baynton,

and the manor of Ordington, by which indenture also £100 per ann. out of Ordington, was settled on the testator's son Richard and his heirs. His wife to have £200 per ann. and the lower house at Buckton, for her life. In case his son Francis should not properly execute the provisions of his will, he appoints William Jones, Esq., and Samuel Trotman, gent., Trustees. The will was proved in London, 23 Feb., 1638. This Edward Eure married Margaret, dau. of Francis Poure, of Bleckingdon, co. Oxford, and a granddau. of Lady Gifford. Issue

- (I.) Francis Eure, his s. and h., whom we have seen was married before the date of his father's will which he proved. According to the Royalist Composition Papers, Samuel Trotman claimed to have purchased from Edward Eure, of Misterton, Esq., and Francis Eure, of Bucknall, gent., the Bucknall estates and desired to be allowed it. This would not appear to have been the case from the will of Edward Eure above. There would appear to have been some underhand work about it, and that the local tradition mentioned by Dunkin in his History of Oxford was not far wrong, viz: That the Trotmans purchased Bucknall &c., for a mere trifle, and that the Eures were reduced to the condition of drovers or cattle dealers.
- (II.) Richard, had a rent charge of £100 per ann. out of Ordington. In the parish register of Bucknall is the burial of Mr. Richard Ewer, on 24 Oct., 1671.
- (III.) Ellen, named in her father's will.
- (IV.) Prudence, mar. . . Forener, named in her father's will.
- (V.) Jane, named in her father's will.

In the parish register of Bucknell, is the baptism of Sarah, dau. of Thomas Eure, born 26 March, and bapt. 20 April, 1659, the same register records that John Stevens and Sarah Ewre were married at St. Nicholas parish, co. Oxford, by Licence, 19 May, 1668. This John Stevens was a respectable farmer, and for seven years Churchwarden of Buckton. Thomas Eure, the father of Sarah, might have been a son of Francis Eure of Buckton.

III. Michael Eure, of Caughton, co. Lincoln. He is named in the will of his father Sir Peter, and appears together with his brother Thomas Eure, in the Royalist Composition Papers, in connection with Dame Elizabeth Ireland, relict of Sir Francis Ireland, Knt., from whom they purchased Wragby, &c. co. York.

IV. Thomas Eure, named in his father's will.

V. Judith, mar. . . Sutton, named in the will of her father.

VI. Elizabeth, mar. . . Leighton, named in the will of her father.

Ralph Eure, (s. and h. of Sir Peter) of Washingborough and Cannon Hurst. He died seized of the fee of the manor of Washingborough, the advowson of the church in Washingborough, and divers lands there; the manor of South Langton, and lands called Harwood, both in the parish of Bardney, with a lease of the Prebend of Welton, with three lives thereon, all in the county of Lincoln; also the manor of Hardwick, and lands in Wragby, co. York. He names in his will, his kinsman John Smith, of Grey's Inn, co. Middlesex, Esq., and his brother Nicholas Smith; also his wife and children, the will being dated 6 Jan., 16 Ch. II., and proved 14 March, 1664. In his will he mentions having settled in 1661, divers lands as a portion for his wife; and appoints George Hewett, of Grey's Inn, Esq., Michael Anne, of Burwalis, co. York, Esq., and John Pike, of Washingborough, yeoman, to be guardians of his son Ralph, and John and Nicholas Smith, named above, trustees of the estates until the said Ralph is twenty-one years of age, or married. £100 for twelve years is to be devoted to the benefit of the children of his two daughters, Barbara and Eleanor. £200 due from his son-in-law John Leigh, he gives to the two daughters of the said John Leigh. £100 and other sums spent for his daughter Ireland in town "this summer," he gives with another £100 to his granddaughter, Betty Ireland. £100 to his wife. His wife was Eleanor, dau. of Thomas Dolman, (who died 16 July, 1639) of Badsworth, by his wife . . . dau. of . . . Watson, of Rockingham. His son and heir is undoubtedly the

Ralph Eure, son and heir, under age at his father's death. Made his will as, Ralph Eure, of Kensington, co. Middlesex, dated 1 Feb., 1724-5, being then in good health. He names his lease of Westhall in Welton, co. Lincoln; his son and heir, Edward Eure; his son-in-law, Nicholas Stapleton als. Erington Esq., and his daughters, Philadelphia, Mary, "my Goddaughter," Anne, Charlotte, all by the first wife of the said Nicholas, who was to have £40, and his said daughters £10 each, except Mary, who had £20. Ralph Eure, who in the Beaumont evidences is called Ralph Eure, of Washingborough, married and had issue—

Edward, and

Charlotte, married to Nicholas Stapleton, als. Erington, (grandson of Mark Erington and Anne Stapleton, eventual heiress of the Barony of Beaumont, and ancestor by his second wife of the present Lord Beaumont.) Marriage settlement dated 12 Aug., 1712. She was dead before 23 Feb., 1722, having had the four daughters above named only, to whom their father, by his will, dated 29 June, 1742, left 20/- each.

Edward Eure, s. and h., proved his father's will 25 Nov., 1726.

The foregoing pedigree while it is to a very great extent only a skeleton one, is, the writer believes, far more complete than any known to Genealogists, and the first that has appeared in print, of this branch of the family of Eure. At the same time that he expresses his regret for its imperfections, resulting from his want of time and opportunity to follow it out, he would excuse its appearance in this form, by the hope that while it preserves it from loss, it will induce those who are able to do so, to contribute any information that will help to complete it.

The engraving of arms is from the large shield with which ends the roll of arms from which the shields of matches are given, and which was formerly in the possession of the late Richard Almack, Esq., F.S.A. A. J. J.

ROKEBY, HOTHAM AND BOYLSTON FAMILIES.—Richard Boylston, of Birmingham, A.D. 1712, left to his only daughter Sarah, the wife of John Clay Hallen, a transcript of Ralph Rokeby's "*Œconomia Rokebeana*," a large metal charger with the Hotham arms, and a portrait of Sir John Hotham, of Skerborough; he also named one of his sons Rokeby. Ralph Rokeby's only child, Ann, was the 2nd wife of Sir John Hotham. I wish to know what connection existed between her descendants and Richard Boylston.

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RICHARDSON.—I shall be obliged by any replies to the following queries respecting Christopher Richardson, M.A., Rector of Kirkheaton, 1646-1661.

1. Who was his father? I have assumed that he (the Rector) is identical with a Christopher Richardson, son of Christopher R., of Houlgate, York, and who was baptized at St. Mary Bishophill Junior, 17 Jany., 1618, as this will just agree with the Rector's age at the time of his death. There is reason to suppose he was connected with a family of the same name at Sheriff Hutton, 12 miles from York.

2. Whom did he marry? All I know is that her name was Elizabeth, (I know all about his *second* wife). I have examined Paver's Marriage Licenses, which give no clue.

3. By whom was he ordained? He was not ordained at York, at least my search there failed to discover his name. As he was made Rector of Kirkheaton as early as 1646, it is thought most probable that he had received Episcopal and not Presbyterian ordination. I have given the chief known facts of the Puritan Rector's life, in Canon Hulbert's *Supplement to The Annals of Almondbury*, pages 9 to 15.

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DR. JOHN ASH.—The following taken from "The Daily British Colonist," Victoria, British Columbia, 18 April, 1886, is forwarded in the hope that it may prove of interest to the readers of "*Yorks. N. & Q.*," and perhaps call forth some account of the ancestry of a man so much respected:—

"Death of Dr. John Ash.

In this city, on the 17th instant, Dr. John Ash, a native of Yorkshire, England. The funeral will take place on Tuesday next, at 10 o'clock a.m., from his late residence, Fort street, and at 10-15 a.m. from Christ Church Cathedral.

At five minutes to eleven o'clock last night, Dr. John Ash, an old and respected pioneer of this province, expired in a fit of apoplexy, at his residence on Fort Street. At 4 p.m. he complained of dizziness, and an hour later became unconscious. Drs. Helmcken and Renwick were summoned, who at once saw that his condition was very serious. He never rallied, and at the time previously stated, experienced the attack which terminated his existence. Dr. Ash was a native of Yorkshire, England, about sixty-three years of age, and came to this country in 1862. He was a member of the old Vancouver Island Assembly, representing Metchosin and Esquimalt, and also after confederation, when Comox was his constituency, was for several years provincial secretary. At the last general election he declined re-election for the last named district, and after making two visits to England, settled quietly down in Victoria, to the renewed practice of his profession, in which, as an oculist, he enjoyed some celebrity. The last public enterprise with which his name was associated was the prospective Victoria and Saanich railway, in which company he was one of the provisional directors. A man of marked force of character, he was withal unassuming in demeanour, both respected and liked, and looked upon as one of those pioneers who connected more visibly the present with the past. The announcement of his sudden death will be received with sorrow." T.W.S.

ALLURED.—Extracts from the Church Registers of Bossall-with-Buttercrambe. N. E. R.

Christenings.

1632, August 21, John Alured, the sonne of Mr. John Allured.
1657, October 5, Jane Allured, ye daughter of Mr. John Allured, of Buttercrambe.

Marriage.

1631, Nov. 17, Mr. John Allured and Mrs. Mary Darley.

R.E.H.D.



Commander BETHELL, C.
Holderness.



ANGUS HOLDEN, L.
Bradford East.



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COMMANDER GEORGE RICHARD BETHELL, R.N., son of the late Mr. Richard Bethell, of Rise; born in 1849, educated at Laleham and Gosport, and on board H.M.S. *Britannia*. Entered the Navy in 1863, and has served in the Pacific, the Mediterranean, and the Channel Squadron, and with the *Challenger* Expedition in 1872-6.

ANGUS HOLDEN, Esq., a partner in the wool-combing and worsted goods business of Isaac Holden, Esq., M.P., his father. Mr. Angus Holden has been active in promoting movements for the welfare of Bradford. He is 52 years of age, and has been Mayor. He is a Director of several local Companies, and, like his father, a prominent Wesleyan.

FRANK LOCKWOOD, Esq., York, was born in 1847, and educated at Cambridge. Called to the Bar at Lincoln's Inn in 1872, (Q.C. in 1882.) On the Royal Commission to inquire into Corrupt Practices at Chester in 1880, and in 1884 was appointed Recorder of Sheffield. Married in 1874 a daughter of Mr. Salis-Schwabe, of Rhodes, near Manchester.

W. S. SHIRLEY, Esq., Doncaster, only son of W. E. Shirley, Esq., Town Clerk of Doncaster, by Jane Winteringham, daughter of the late Mr. John Shirley, of Attercliffe. Born in 1851, educated at Rugby and Balliol College, Oxford, (B.A. 1875). In 1876 he was called to the Bar at the Inner Temple, and goes the North Eastern Circuit. Author of several legal works and political pamphlets.

THOMAS WAYMAN, Esq., son of the late Mr. William Henry Wayman, card-maker, of Halifax; born in 1833, educated at private Schools; in 1856 began in business as Woolstapler. Alderman and (in 1872-4) Mayor of Halifax. J.P. Vice-Chairman of Halifax Chamber of Commerce. Married in 1856, Sarah, daughter of the late Mr. James Ellis, of Halifax.

JOSEPH WOODHEAD, Esq., was born in 1824, at Holmfirth, and educated at private schools. Became a Woollen Manufacturer, and is now Newspaper Editor and Proprietor in Huddersfield. Alderman of Huddersfield since 1871, and twice Mayor, J.P., and President of the Huddersfield Liberal Association.



COCKCROFT OF MAYROID, WADSWORTH.—Can any of your readers inform me if there has been printed or compiled a pedigree of this family.

HENRY J. BARBER.

[The Cockrofts and Mayroid are several times referred to in the *History of the Stansfeld Family*, and the author of that work has probably materials for a fair pedigree. Heywood's *Diaries* and *Register* give some notes. Rev. W. Grimshaw married one of the family; *Haworth Past and Present*.]

Appleyard Family.

Extracted from full Pedigree of the Appleyards of England, introducing that illustrious lady, Amy Robsart, of Romantic Memory, so much admired by Sir Walter Scott, compiled by

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Bardsley in his work on our English Surnames, in speaking of that of Appleyard says, "There is little distinction to be drawn between 'Garth' and 'Yard' in the North of England, and in reality there ought to be none. Such names, however, as 'Nicholas de Apelyerd,' or 'Robert de Apelgarth,' or 'Richard atte Orcheverde,' the descendants of whom are still in our midst, bespeak a familiarity of usage which we cannot find now;" and again he says—"We have here the mention of Pears and Apples. The cultivation of these by our 'Orcharders,' or 'de la Orchards,' or 'de la Apelyards,' was a familiar occupation."

The name has been spelt in at least 25 different ways, in one instance it being commenced in the Halifax Registers with a "H."

Nicholas de Apilyerd, descended from Richard, son of William de Apelgart, of Dunham, in Norfolk, who lived in King Stephen's time and had a son,

Bartholomew Appleyard, a citizen of Norwich, a landed proprietor and Lord of several Manors and Patron of several advowsons. He was bailiff of the city in 1355-66-72, and Burgess in Parliament in 1376 and 1412, and in his lifetime was a benefactor to Saint Andrew's Church, Norwich, where he was buried in a Chantry therein, founded in 1388 for the souls of himself and his son William, and their ancestors and successors, and who had a son,

Sir William Appleyard. He was a man of principal figure and fortune, he was like his father a Lord and Patron of several Manors and Advowsons, successively he was eleven times Burgess in Parliament, twice Bailiff of the city, and six times Mayor, he being the first Mayor of Norwich. In 1402 he was Escheator of Norfolk, and died in 1419, and left issue—

Nicholas Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Katherine married John Ward, of Bexley Hall, Esq., his will was proved 27 Oct., 1445.

Joan married Sir John Jernegan, of Somerleton, Knight, and they lie buried under an Altar Tomb formerly standing at north east corner of Somerleton Church.

Emma married Sir Henry Grey, (son of Thomas Grey,) Knight, who survived her and married Jane (sister of Thomas de Mowbray).

Edmund Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Robert Appleyard, of Blickling, Norfolk, Will proved 1469, ancestor of the Blickling, Hunts, Cambridge, and Essex branches.

Nicholas Appleyard, of Dunstan, (eldest son of Sir William Appleyard). He sold the Manor of Intwood to Thomas Wetherby, the rich Alderman of Norwich. Executor of and proved Sir Philip Thornbury's Will, 6 Feb., 1457. Patron of Bygrave Rectory after Sir P. T's death, ob. 1461; he married Margaret, dau. of Sir Philip Thornbury, of Bygrave, Herts., who also proved her father's will. She settled the Manor of Rainthorpe, Norfolk, in strict entail in 1466, and was patroness of Bygrave after Nicholas' death, ob. 1468. He had issue by her—

John Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

William Appleyard, of East Carlton, and Lord of the Manor of Dunstan, bur. in 1481 in St. Mary's Church, East Carlton, at the east end thereof. Settled the Manor of Dunstan in 1481 in strict entail. He married Elizabeth Parker, by whom he had issue and became the common ancestor of the East Carlton, and Dunstan, Norfolk, and Framlingham, and Tannington, Suffolk, branches, as set out in full pedigree.

Thomas Appleyard.

Henry Appleyard.

Bartholomew A., mar. Margaret . . .
and died 1492.

Margaret.

Emma, married to Mr. Bray.

Jane, mentioned in her Bro. John's Will, 1498.

Elizabeth married William Bastard, afterwards Robert White, of Shotesham, Esq.

Anne.

} Mentioned
in Settlement,
1466.

} Both mentioned
in Settlement,
1466.

John Appleyard (eldest son of Nicholas), settled at Braken Ash and built Braken Hall. Will dated 20 Aug., 1498, Ob. 1498, proved Oct., 1498. Bequeathed his body to be bur. in Grey Friars Ch., Norwich. The Testator had the Manors of Bygrave, Carlton, Braken, Hethell, Newton, and Rainthorpe. He married Elizabeth . . . and by her had issue—

Sir Nicholas Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Elizabeth married Robert Kemp, of Gissing, mentioned in John A's (of London) Will, 1537.

Henry Appleyard, mentioned in his father's Will.

John Appleyard, mentioned in his father's Will. Died at Longley. Will dated 9 April and proved 14 July, 1529. Ancestor of the Longley and Almondbury branch. See Canon Hulbert's History of Almondbury and Supplemental Volume.

Sir Nicholas Appleyard (eldest son of John). He was Master of the Ordnance, and was killed in the front of the battle of Flodden Field against James IV., King of Scotland, 9 Sept., 1513, H. VIII.; mentioned in his father's Will. He married Agnes, dau. of William Rokewoode, Esq., of East Warham, mentioned in her mother's Will, 20 Jan., 1495, by whom he had issue—

John Appleyard, of Braken Ash, mentioned in his paternal Grandfather's Will, 1498, and in his maternal Grandmother's Will, 20 Jan., 1495. D.S.P.

Roger Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Mary.

Alice.

Robert Appleyard, of Framlingham, Suffolk, mentioned in John A's (of London) Will, 1557, and in his maternal Grandmother's Will, 20 Jan., 1495. His will proved 1558. He married Annie . . who proved her husband's Will. Her Will proved 1566. By whom he had issue—
Elizabeth, dau. and heiress, married Francis Warner, of Framlingham, Suffolk.

Roger Appleyard, (2nd but eldest living son of Sir Nicholas) of Braken Ash, mentioned in his maternal Grandmother's Will, 20 Jan., 1495. Ob. 8 July, 1528, buried in Grey Friars Ch., Norwich. "By an Inq. taken at Hertford on the 18 Nov., Anno 21 Hen. VIII., after the death of Roger, the son and heir of Sir Nicholas Appleyard, Knt. Roger died seized of the Manor of Bygrave, with the advowson of the Church, held of the King in Socage, and that John, aged 1 year on 24 Jan. then last, was his heir." He married Elizabeth, dau. of John Scott, of Camberwell, by whom he had issue—

John Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Philip Appleyard, mentioned in his Aunt Annie's Will, 1566. Knight for Burgh of Thetford. A member of St. George's Coy. 1564. He married Mary, dau. of Sir Anthony Shelton, of Shelton, Knt., and widow of Sir John Heveningham, who was Lord of Pretenham Manor. S. P.

Frances m. William, eldest son of Robert Drury, Esq.

Anne married James Bigot, Esq.

Bridget.

Elizabeth, widow of Roger Appleyard, married 2ndly Sir John Robsart, (son of Sir Terry Robsart) who died 1554, by whom she had issue—

That illustrious lady AMY ROBSART, (of Romantic memory). She married Lord Robert Dudley, (afterwards Earl of Leicester) at Sheen, in Surrey, 4 June, 1550. She died on Sunday, 8 Sept., 1560; buried in St. Mary's Church, Oxford. He died 4 Sept., 1584.

John Appleyard, (eldest son of Roger and half bro. to Amye Robsart) of East Dereham, born 24 Jan., 1527, not two years old on his father's death. He was in 1555 Member for Coy, Norfolk, mentioned in his Uncle Robert's Will, 1558. A principal Witness on Inquest held on the body of his half sister Amye. His Will proved 1572. He married Elizabeth dau. of Robert Hogan, of East Braddenham, Norf., Esq., proved her husband's Will. Her Will proved by her Bro. Thos. Hogan, and others, 1580. He (John) had by her—

Henry Appleyard, mentioned in his mother's Will.

I now proceed to trace the descent of Edmund Appleyard, second son to Sir William, shewing one of the chief migrations from Norfolk, and whose descendants became again Ancestors of several branches of the Family in the East and West Ridings of Yorkshire, and Lincolnshire, and Middlesex.

Edmund Appleyard, (second son of Sir William Appleyard) of Winham, Norfolk, entailed the Manor of Wramplington, Norfolk, in year 1448. He married Anne . . . who was tenant for life after her husband's death, and by whom he had issue—

William Appleyard.	} Mentioned in Settlement, 1448.
Geffry Appleyard.	
Edmund Appleyard, of whom afterwards.	

Edmund Appleyard, (3rd son of Edmund) of Santoft, Isle of Axholme, married Dyonisia, dau. of Peter Luddington, had by her issue—

John Appleyard, of Santoft aforesaid, who married . . . dau. of Bilton and had a son and heir, viz :

John Appleyard, of Butterwick, Isle of Axholme, co. Lincoln, married Margaret or Helen, dau. of Sir Robert Sheffield, Knt., and Helen, dau. and heiress of Sir Robert Delves, Knt. Sir Robert was Speaker of the House of Commons, Recorder of London, &c., and by her had issue—

Richard Appleyard, mentioned in his father's Will.

William Appleyard, mentioned in his father's Will, migrated to Uleebye, Lincolnshire, and became the Ancestor of the Lincolnshire Family.

Agnes.	} All three mentioned in their father's Will.
Margaret.	
Elizabeth.	

Robert Appleyard, of Falsthorpe, mentioned in his father's Will. His Will proved 1545, had issue, 3 children—

Thomas Appleyard, of Swaby, his Will proved 1561.

Jenet.

Elizabeth.

George Appleyard, Vicar of Barrow.

Thomas Appleyard, the Lord Abbot of Thornton.

John Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

John Appleyard, (son of John) of Heslington, near York, mar. Grace, dau. of one Pembroke, or Margaret, dau. of one Fortham, of Grimsby, County Lincoln, and had issue—



Appleyard Arms.

Nicholas Appleyard, of whom afterwards.
Clare, m. Henry Thurerosse, Alderman and Mayor of Hull.

Thomas Appleyard, of York, Merchant, Sheriff of York, 1542, Lord Mayor, 1551 and 1565, he married Isabel, dau. of John Sothebie, of Pocklington, (mentioned in her brother's will 8 Apr., 1544, proved 20 Sept., 1546.) Ancestor of the York Family.

Ursula married John Beaulieu or Bellew, Co. Lincoln.

Ann mar. John Lewis, Citizen and Lord Mayor of York, 1550.
Silvester Appleyard, 3 son sup. 1562.

Jane mar. John Goldwell, Esq., of Burstwick, her Will proved 4 Mar., 1562, desired to be bur. in All Hallows Speckling.

Barbara ob. Virgo.

Elizabeth m. 1st Ralph Headlam, 2ndly Mr. Montford, Co. Ebor.

Nicholas Appleyard, (son of John) of North Frothingham, Lord of the Manor, w. d. 13 Aug., 1545. He married Ann, dau. of William Mennell, of Heslington, who proved her husband's Will and had issue—

John Appleyard, (eldest son) of Burstwick Garth, mentioned in his father's and brother Nicholas' Wills. He died 27 Ap., 1597, Will dated same day and proved in October following. He married 1stly Katherine, dau. of Sir Wm. Flower, Co. Rutland, Knt., her will proved 1557, and 2ndly Katherine, dau. of John Norton, of Acklom in Cleveland, niece and heiress of Sir Sam. Norton, Knt., and was ancestor of the Burstwick Family, of which Sir Matthew Appleyard was a member.

William Appleyard, of Aby, mentioned in his father's Will, his Will proved 1587 by his wife.

Nicholas Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Nicholas Appleyard, (son of Nicholas) of Lightcliffe, Halifax, mentioned in his father's Will, he married Margaret Cleydell and had issue—

John Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Richard Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Nicholas Appleyard, of Southowram, ancestor of a large Halifax Branch.

John Appleyard, of Norwood Green, Hipperholme, (eldest son of Nicholas) Bapt. at Halifax, 27 Jan., 1558, married . . . and had 2 sons and 2 daus.

Thomas, Bapt. 1 June, 1567.
 Mary, Bapt. 24 Aug., 1571.
 Samuel, afterwards mentioned.
 Susan, Bapt. 14 Feb., 1576. } All at Halifax.
 Samuel Appleyard, (second son of John) of Hipperholme,
 Bap. at Halifax, 21 Feb., 1574, married . . and had one son
 and two daughters.

William, of whom afterwards.
 Grace, baptised 31 July, 1597.
 Lea, baptised 10 Feb., 1599-1600. } All at Halifax.
 William Appleyard, of Halifax, (son of Samuel) Bap. there
 8 Dec., 1594. By deed of 18 July, 1665, conveyed his Estates
 to his daughter Susanna, he married Susanna . . who was
 bur. at Halifax, 11 June, 1672, and had by her the following
 issue—

William, eldest son, (see Chancery proceedings) probably died
 young as he is not mentioned by the Rev. Oliver Hey-
 wood in his Diary, Vol. 3.

John, of whom afterwards.

Samuel Appleyard, said to have joined the army in Scotland,
 dead before June 11, 1672.

Susanna mar. Joseph Crowther, of Northowram, who died
 7 Nov., and bur. 10 Nov., 1711. She died 29 May, 1717,
 78 years.

Margaret, bap. at Halifax, and said to have married three
 times.

John Appleyard, (eldest living son of William) of Halifax.
 Born about 1627, bur. there 15 July, 1699, at 72. Will proved
 1699, (see Chancery proceedings). He married Mary Harper,
 (she subsequently married John Rudman, at Halifax, 5 Dec.,
 1700,) who died 26 March, 1710, and by her had issue—

Samuel, of whom afterwards.

Susan, bap. at Halifax, 26 Dec., 1662.

Samuel Appleyard, (son of John) of Shelf, only son and heir.
 Baptised at Halifax, 29 July, 1666, died in London, 31 Aug.,
 1730. Heir at Law of his aunt Susanna Crowther, (see Ch.
 pdgs.) He married 1stly Mary Hollings, dau. of Joseph Hol-
 lings, 21 July, 1689, at Idle, who died 15 and bur. 21 Oct., 1716,
 and by her had issue—

William, son and heir, buried 27 August, 1712, D.S.P.

Samuel Appleyard, of Sou'wood House, Halifax, mar. 25
 Feb., 1732, Martha Oddy, who was buried 17 Jan., 1742.

Mary, Extriix. of her bro. William's Will.

Susan, bur. 8 Jan., 1710.

He married secondly, Aug., 1718, Ellen Barraclough and had
 by her a daughter—

Susanna, who died at Sowerby, 15 Sept., 1780.

Richard Appleyard, (second son of Nicholas Appleyard, of Lightcliffe, Halifax) of Norwood Green, bapt. at Halifax, 12 Sept., 15½, mar. . . by whom he had issue—

Alicia, bapt. 8 June, 1567.

Gracia, bapt. 13 June, 1568.

Ambrose, bapt. 23 June, 1570.

Jonas, of whom afterwards.

Richard, bapt. 2 Mar., 157½.

Nicholas, bapt. 7 May, 1581.

John, bapt. 8 Jany., 158½.

} All at Halifax.

Jonas Appleyard, (2nd son of Richard) bapt. 21 Sept., 1578, mar. . . and had issue an only son—

Richard Appleyard, of Halifax, bapt. there 28 Nov., 1596. Buried there 12 July, 1675, aged 80 years, leaving issue—

Joshua, of Hipperholme, bapt. 29 Oct., 1637, at Halifax.

Jonas, (entered Jonath.) of Harden Grange, Bingley, bapt. 18 Sept., 1642, at Halifax. Will dated 27 Ch. 11, 1675, proved Exch. Ct. of York, 27 July, 1676. Buried in Bingley Chyard, 2 Dec., 1675. He married at Bingley 19 May, 1665, Mary Crawshaw, and had by her an only child,

Elizabeth, baptised at Bingley, 4 June, 1665, buried in Chyard there 4 Dec., 1670.

Richard, of whom afterwards.

Susan, bapt. 1 Dec., 1644, at Halifax, married Joshua Brook.

Richard Appleyard, (son of Richard of Halifax) of Ryshworth, mentioned in his Brother Jonas' Will, married at Bingley 17 Nov., 1700. Died there 23 Feby., 1708, he married Martha Hardcastle and left issue—

Ann, baptised at Bingley 27 June, 1701.

Sarah, married William Skirrow, ancestor of Walker Skirrow, of 2, Queensbury Place, London, and Charles Fletcher Skirrow, of 20, Sussex Gardens, London, Esqres.

Robert A., of the Church Plain, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk.

Baptised at Bingley 23 January, 1702. Married at Great Yarmouth, 14 June, 1726, Mary Dean, Spinster, of that place, by whom he had an only daughter born there and bapt. 8 July, 172½, she married 5 August, 1744, Kenrick Prescott, D.D., Master of Catherine Hall, Prebend of Norwich, Vicar of Great Yarmouth, and afterwards Rector of Balsham. He died 3 Aug., 1779. Dr. Kenrick and Mary Prescott were both buried in Catherine Hall, Cambridge.

Jonas A., of Northaw, Herts, and Carey Street, Lincolns Inn.

Died 18 Oct., 1769, buried at Willesden, his death is recorded in London Magazine. He married Elizabeth Allison, born about 1702, died 15 August, 1757, buried at Willesden, and had issue—

Robert Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Elizabeth married Richard Jackson, of The Mythe, near Tewkesbury, who is the ancestor of George Jackson, of Westhorpe, Little Marlow, Bucks. His Will proved 18 April, 1803. He proved John Rogers' Will. Her Will proved 6 June, 1810. She died and was buried at Willesden, in 1810.

Richard A., died 18 August, 1761, æt 24, buried at Willesden. S.P.

Sarah, buried at Willesden.

Ann, of Chelsea, married 11 April, 1759, John Rogers, of Tewkesbury, his Will dated 8 Oct., 1760, proved at Gloucester. She died 1st July, 1775, æt 36. Issue, an only dau. Ann, who married 1stly John Berwick, of Hallow Park, Worcester, and 2ndly William Welch, of Hawford, Worcester, she died 28 June, 1845.

Charles Appleyard, bur. at Willesden, 1750.

Jonas Appleyard, a Colonel in H. M's. Army, Godfather to Robert Langley Appleyard and Frances Ann Appleyard, and died at the Hague in Holland.

Robert Appleyard, (eldest son of Jonas A.) of Carey Street, Lincolns Inn, and Dyers Buildings, Holborn, London, Secretary to the Lord Chancellor. Born 11 May, 1736, married 30 April, 1764. Administrator to his sister Ann Rogers' Estate. Died 17 March, 1795, buried at Willesden 24 March, 1795. Will proved 30 March, 1795. He married Frances, only child and daughter of Thomas Langley and Mary his wife, (née Gawton, and widow of Thomas Clarke). Born and bapt. at Northaw resply, 8 Feb. and 9 Mar. 174½, died 20 Nov., 1814, buried at Willesden. Will proved 28, 11, 1814, and had issue—

Robert Langley Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Frances Ann, born 1 July, 1768, mar. 17 Sept., 1795, William 5th son of Joseph Boulton, of Baxterly in Warwickshire, by whom she had issue, as set out in pedigree compiled by H. W. A. She died near the Hay in Breconshire, on the 17 April, 1830, and bur. at Clifford.

Richard Smith Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Robert Langley Appleyard, (eldest son of Robert Appleyard) of Lincolns Inn, London. Born 27 April, 1765, died 8 Dec., 1843, bur. at Willesden. Will proved 5 Jan., 1844. He married at Stockport, Chester, on 30 Aug., 1805, Jane Mary, (eldest dau. of the Rev. Chas. Prescott, B.D., Rector of Stockport, and Jane, his wife, dau. of Joseph Dyson, Esq., Alderman of Chester) who was born 5 Aug., 1785, and died 19 May, 1826, æt 40, buried at Willesden, by whom he had issue—

Jane Frances, born 16 July, 1807, died 13 April, 1812, bur. at Stockport.

Mary Elizabeth, of Slough, Bucks., born 26 Jan., 1809.
Unmarried.

Robert Prescott Appleyard, of Connaught Sq., London, b. 22 Sept., 1810, m. 30 Sept., 1851, Emma Hilbert, dau. of Gen. Geo. Horsford, deceased, and brother of the late Gen. Sir Alfred Horsford, K.C.B. Died 11 June, 1886. Buried at Brompton Cemetery. S.P.

Charles Appleyard, of Lincoln's Inn, London, born 18 Oct., 1811, married at Plymouth, 22 August, 1844, to Catherine Eleanor, dau. of Wm. Philip Daykin, of Oriel Mount, Totnes, by whom he had two daughters only.

Catherine Jane Selby, born 24 June, 1847, bap. 12 Aug., 1847. Extriix. of and proved her father's Will, unmarried 1886.

August Louisa, born 8 Jany. and bap. 25 June, 1850, died July, 1881, bur. at Brompton.

She (Mrs. C. A.) died 5 Sept., 1879, bur. at Brompton, 12 Sept., 1879. He (C. A.) died 25 Dec., 1882, buried at Brompton, 28 Dec., 1882. Will proved 6 July, 1883.

Henry William Appleyard, of Auckland, New Zealand, Architect, born 24 Jan., 1813, died 12 July, 1846. Will proved 27 Dec., 1876. (Bachelor.) Bur. in New Zealand.

Anna Jane, born 5 Mar., 1814, died 7 Dec., 1827.

Frances Margaret, of Slough, Bucks., born 31 July, 1815, died 19 Mar., 1874. Will proved 27 April, 1874. (Unmarried.)

Louisa Susanna, of Slough, Bucks., born 19 Jan., 1818. (Unmarried.)

Francis Needham, (Christened after one of the Earl of Kilmorey's family, Mr. R. L. A. being the family Solicitor and a great friend.) born 15 May, 1826, died an infant æt about 2 months.

[It will be observed that the last male of this branch was Mr. Robert Prescott Appleyard.]

Richard Smith Appleyard, (2nd and youngest son of Robert Appleyard) of Bloomsbury Sq., London, and Northaw, Herts. A Cursitor of the High Court of Chancery. B. 11 Nov., 1766, died 31 Dec., 1846, æt 80, bur. at Kensal Green. Will proved 29 Jan., 1847. He married at St. George the Martyr, Southwark, 5 July, 1794, Ann, dau. of Sylvanus Hall and Ann his wife. Born 4 Aug., 1771, died 27 Jan., 1819, æt 77, bur. at Kensal Green, 3 Feb., 1849, and by whom he had issue—

Richard Hall Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Robert Boulton Appleyard, a Cursitor of the H. C. of Chancery, b. 12 July, 1797, mar. 25 July, 1831, to Ann Leonard, at Edinboro', died 21 May, 1860, æt 62, bur. at Kensal Green. S.P.

Frederick Newman Appleyard, of whom afterwards.

Ernest Sylvanus Appleyard, of Tilgate, Crawley, Sussex, Clerk in H. O. Born 9 Oct., 1804, died 14 May, 1876, æt 72, bur. at Kensal Green. Will proved 28 April, 1877. He was author of several Works published under the nom de plume of "E. S. A." He married 25 Feb., 1836, Ann Elizabeth, dau. of Geo. Jackson, she died 2 Mar., 1844, æt 34, her Will proved 20 April, 1844. No issue.

Richard Hall Appleyard (Eldest Son of Richard Smith Appleyard) of Lincoln's Inn, and Westbourne Terrace, London, Barrister at Law, born 8 Aug. 1795, married, July 1851, died 29 May, 1876, æt 80, buried at Kensal Green. Will proved 28 June, 1876. He married Charlotte Matilda, dau. of the Rev. William Stamer and Ann Margaret his wife, (dau. of Col. Lock,) and Cousin to Sir Lovelace Tomlinson Stamer, Bt. and had by her issue

Richard Lock Appleyard, born at Addington House, Margate, 31st August, 1852. Baptized there, Sept. 1852, afterwards baptized at St. James', Piccadilly. He is an Officer in the Army. (unmarried)

Gerald Lindsay Appleyard, born, 7 July, 1854, baptized at Monkstown, Dublin, 27 Nov. 1854. (unmarried)

Ernest James Hall Appleyard, born, 21 Aug. 1855, at Bayswater terrace, Dalkey, near Dublin; baptized at St. Mary, Stafford, 3 months later. (unmarried)

Mary Charlotte Annette, born, 16 June, 1857, at Lansdown, Somerset, married, 15 Nov., 1879, to Edmund Acres Bagshawe, Esq.

Eliza Victoria, born, 6 May, 1859, baptized at St. Marylebone, 4 July, 1859.

Caroline Roberta, born in district of North St. Giles, 29 Jan. 1861. Bap. St. Andrew's, Marylebone, 15 June, 1861.

Beatrice Mary, born at 6, Westbourne terrace, Lon: 1 July, 1863; privately bapt: died, 17 July, 1864; buried at Kensal Green.

Winifred Edith, born in park of St. John's, Paddington, 18 Dec. 1865; bap. at St. Andrew's, Marylebone, 27 April, 1866.

Florence Ethel, born at No. 6, Westbourne terrace, 10 April, 1870; bap. at Christ Church, Herne Bay, Kent, October 1870.

Mrs. Richard Hall Appleyard is now the Wife of the Rev. George Musgrave.

Frederick Newman Appleyard (3rd son of Richard Smith Appleyard), of Teignmouth, Devon, and St. John's Wood, London. A Cursitor of the High Court of Chancery, born 20 Feb. 1800; he married 1stly, 24 Sep., 1826, Theresa Maria Mordaunt, who died at Brussels and is buried in the Cemetery

of St. Jossé de Norde a' Faubourg of Brussels, 25 April, 1850, æt 39, he had issue by her

Ann Frederica, born, 12 Oct. and bap. 22 Oct. 1827; mar. 17 Nov. 1853, to (and now widow of) Joseph Spencer, son of John and Mary Spencer, of Whitehaven, Cumberland.

Frederick Ernest A. (of whom afterwards.)

He (F.N.A.) mar. secondly Eliza Lloyd, of Carmarthen, by whom he had issue, and died 10 May, 1882, æt 82. Buried at Kensal Green.

Louisa, married to Slingsby Duncombe Shafto, of Durham;

Heir presumptive to the Beamish Park Estate, Durham.

Charles Lloyd Appleyard, of South Africa.

Theresa Maria, married to James Porteous.

Eliza Helen, mar. 6 Sep. 1878, to Julius Johann Christian Edward Bettzer; she died 14 Sep. 1882, at Ostend, and is buried there.

Robert Newman Appleyard, of 6, South Sq., London, Solr.

Florence Daisy Appleyard, Richard Appleyard. Francis Silvanus Appleyard.

Frederick Ernest Appleyard, (eldest son of Fredk. Newman Appleyard), of Tärūkai, Surbiton, Surrey, born 6, bap. 19 June, 1829, a General in Her Majesty's Army. This gallant Officer has rendered his native Country great services, and received many military honours. He was wounded at the Battle of Alma. He married 1stly, Louisa, dau. of Alexander Andrews, Esq., she died 23 Sept. 1881, at Lincoln, bur. at Kensal Green, and by her had an only son—

Frederick Ernest Appleyard, born, 1 Oct. and bap. 8 Nov. 1856, at Trinity Church, Paddington. He married, 2nd June, 1883, Rose Jane, dau. of Thomas and Caroline Druitt, of Spring Gardens, London, and by her has issue one child.

He (F.E.A., senr.) married secondly Gertrude Tuppen.

The following were the Arms of Richard Smith Appleyard, great grand-child of Richard Appleyard, of Bingley. Blending the Arms of Sylvanus Hall, of London and Yorkshire. Miss Hall, who married R.S.A., was an heiress. The arms have been quartered for their issue.

(1-4.) Three Owls between a Chevron, Owls ppr.

(2-3.) Three oak leaves, vert in chief, three Lions rampant between a chevron; the arms of Sylvanus Hall, of London and Yorkshire.

Crest—Wyvern, same as Sir Matthew Appleyard, of Burstwick.

The following are some of the Notes from which the pedigree was compiled. The brackets [] are mine.

'Bartholomew and William Appleyard, father and son, are respectively mentioned in the lists for Norwich of Bailiffs and Burgesses.'

'They founded a Chantry at Norwich in 1388, for the souls of themselves and their ancestors and successors, called 'Appleyards' Chantry Priest, Norwich.'

Herald's Visitations, 901, 1177, 1394, 1415, 1420, 1487, 1552, 4755, 5189, 6093, 6166. Manuscript 522, Caius Coll. Library. Rawl. B 393, fo. 5b. Ashmead 834, fo. 5b. Addl. 11388.

In 1356, Barth. Appleyard owned the Manor of Intwood, and settled it on himself and his heirs. William his son held it in 1401, and Nicholas, son to William and grandson to Barth., sold it to Thomas Wetherby, the rich Alderman of Norwich, who died in 1445.

The family also had the Manors of Dunston, Carlton, Hethell, Newton, Rainthorpe Hall, Braken Ash, Wramplington, &c., all in the County of Norfolk, and Bygrave, Herts.

Patrons of Braken Ash.—1349, Barth. Appleyard and anr. 1400, William Appleyard. 1490, John, son of Nicholas Appleyard. 1518, Roger Appleyard. 1558, John Appleyard.

1564, Philip, A., member of St. George's Company, Norwich.

1529, Roger A., buried in Norwich.

1537, Robert Appleyard was Steward of the Hundred of Earsham.

Ketteringham Church.—"Here lyeth Sir Henry Grey, the son of Sir Thom Grey, of Heton, and Jane hys wyfe that was systere to the Duke of Norfolk that dyed at Venys, and Emme the wyfe of the forseide Henry Grey, the doutyr, [Blomfield says 'widow' Gough 'dau'] of Wm. Appleyerde - - - on woyes Sowles God have mercy."

Patrons of Bygrave Rectory, Herts.—3 Nov. 1450, Sir Philip Thornbury and Margaret his wife. 25 Dec. 1461, Nicholas Apleyard. 3 Jan. 1468, Margaret, widow of Nic. A. 7 Oct. 1488, John Apleyard. 21 May, 1504; 8 Feb. 1505; 25 June, 1510; Nicholas Apleyard. The Rectory was conveyed in 1456 by Sir Philip Thornbury. To the use of himself for life—remainder to Nicholas A. and Margaret his wife (dau. of Settlor), further remainder to John their Son, with remainder to Settlor's right heirs.

Alice Rokewood, of Wyttinget, Gentlewoman by Will dated 20 Jan. 1495, mentions dau. Agnes Appleyard. Grandchildren (children of dau. Agnes) John A., Roger A., Robert A., Alice A. Wolmane, 2nd part, fo. 245 d. Nicholas Appleyard, Gentleman, died the 10th day of July, in the 37th year of H. VIII., and John was his son and heir, and was of the age of 18 years. Wolmane, No. 55, part 1.

Will of John A., of Dunstan, dated 1531, proved at London, Jany. 1537, mentions Brother Thomas, of Dunstan—Sister Anne Girling—Nephew John App.—Niece Jane (dau. of Bro. T. A.)—Cousins Robert A. and Elizabeth Kemp—Uncle Parker. One of the Exors., His Grace the Duke of Norfolk.

The history of the Isle of Axholme, says, that in the reign of King H. VI., a family of the name of Appleyard were residing at Sandtoft. Edmund Appleyard mar. Dyonisia, the dau. of . . . Belton, Esq., [should be dau. of Peter Luddington,] and his son [John, see MSS. 522 Caius College] married a dau. of Sir Robert Sheffield, and went to reside in the Hall Garth at West Butterwick.

[This Edmund was son of Edmund and grandson to Sir William Appleyard, as proved by the deeds and rolls of Wramplington Manor.]

20 August 1498. John A., of Braken, Esq., by his Will bequeathed his body to be buried in Grey Friars Ch: Norwich. Mentions sons Nicholas, Henry and John. Sister Jane, grandchild, John, son of Nicholas. Testator had the Manors of Bygrave, Carlton, Braken, Hethell and Newton. Dodsw: 22, p. 74, Registrum Horne, fo. 20.

Sir Nicholas A., Knt., inherited a Manor in the Hundred of Bosmere, Claydon, in right of Agnes his wife, dau. and heiress of Wm. Rokewode, Esq., of Warham, Norf: his son John died without issue, and Roger Appleyard, Esq., of Braconash inherited as son and heir.

References in Heywood's Register, Dickenson's Register, and the Rev. Oliver Heywood's Diaries; edited by J. Horsfall Turner.

NORWICH ARCHDEACONRY COURT.

Will of Robert Appleyard, of Blickling, Norfolk. Proved 1469. Mentions sons,—Christopher, Edward, and William Appleyard. Brother, Edmund Appleyard. Executors, Brother-in-Law, John Bull, and Robert Smyth.

Will of Johannes Appleyard, of East Dereham, Norfolk. Proved 1572. Gives all his estate to his wife, Elizabeth Appleyard, who proved same. No issue mentioned.

NORWICH COURT.

Will of Elizabeth Appleyard, (widow of above Johannes A.) of East Bradenham, Norfolk, proved 1580. Mentions son, Henry Appleyard; proved by Brother Thomas Hogan, and Edmund Audley.

Will of Robert Appleyard, of Framlingham, Suffolk, proved April 1558. Mentions wife, Annie, who proved Will. Grandchildren Warners. Nephew John Appleyard.

Will of Annie Appleyard, widow of above, of Framlingham aforesaid, proved 1566. Mentions, Nephew John Lunge, Nephew Philip Appleyard, Thos. Warner, Wm. Warner.

Will of Nicholas Appleyard, of North Forthingham, York, 1545. Mentions Sons, John, Christopher, Henry, James, Thomas, Robert, Nicholas, William; proved by son William and widow.

In Mr. Adlard's account of the history and funeral of Amye Robsart he introduces the Pedigree of the Scotts of Camberwell who were Lady Amye's Maternal Ancestors, and that of the Appleyards of Braconash and Robsarts.

There is an account of the Coroner's Inqt. held on Lady Amye's remains, at Cumnor in the Pepysian Library.

See also Nineteenth Century, and Ed. VI. Diary, British Museum.

Extract from Will of Jonas Appleyard.

Proved in the Exchequer Court of York.

I, Jonas Appleyard, of Harden Grange, within the parish of Bingley and Diocese of York, Husbandman, do make and ordain my last Will and Testament this 28 day of November, in ye 27th year of our Sovereigne Lord King Charles ye IId. and in ye year of our Lord 1675, in manner and form following first. I recommend my precious Soul into ye merciful hands of my gracious God, &c." "I hereby give and bequeath to my brother Richard Appleyard, the sum of four pounds, to be payd him within two whole years next after my decease; also I give to ye said Richard my brother, my best cloth suit of apparell, to be delivered within one month next after my death." Mentions, nephew Jno, wife Mary who is his Executrix.

Jonas X Appleyard, (Seal.)
his mark and seal.

Witnesses—

Ben Ferrant,
Wm. X Smyth, his mark.

Proved 27 July, 1676.

LAY SUBSIDY.

23 Car. 11½. Bingley, 3 Jonas Appleyard 4-1.

EXTRACTS FROM PARISH REGISTERS OF BINGLEY, YORKS.
1660-1708.

MARRIAGES.

1663, May 19—Jonas Appleyard and Mary Crawshaw.

1700, Nov. 17—Richard Appleyard and Martha Hardecastle.

BAPTISMS.

1665, June 4—Elizabeth, dau. of Jonas Appleyard, of Cottingley.

1701, June 27—Ann, dau. of Richard Appleyard, of Rishworth.

1702, Jan. 23—Robert, son of " of "

BURIALS.

1670, Dec. 4—Elizabeth, d. of Jonas Appleyard, of Harden.

1675, Dec. 3—Jonas Appleyard, of Harden.

1708, Feb. 23—Richard Appleyard.

GREAT YARMOUTH.

MARRIAGE.

1726, June 14—Robert Appleyard of this Town, S.M., Mary
Dean of the same Town, S.W.

BAPTISM.

1726 (sic) July 8—Mary Appleyard d. of Robt. and Mary.

Copy writing from Backboard of Framed Arms now in the possession of Robert Newman Appleyard, Esq., and in the handwriting of Robert Langley Appleyard deceased.

"The Arms of Richard Appleyard, of Ryshworth in the parish of Bingley, in the County of York, he was born there about 1666 [no evidence] was married there on the 17th Nov., 1700, to Martha Hardcastle and was buried at Bingley on the 23rd Feb., 1708, leaving issue as follows— [See Bingley Parish Registers.]

Ann Appleyard who married Robert Wathope.

Robert Appleyard born in January, 1703.

Jonas Appleyard married Elizabeth Allison.

Sarah Appleyard married William Skirrow."

[The Crest of this branch of the family is a Wyvern the same as that borne by Sir Mathew Appleyard, of Burstwick, and I have in my possession a Rental Book belonging to the latter gentleman undoubtedly handed down thro' this Richard of Ryshworth, who was living part of the same period as Sir Mathew. I have also several wax impressions of the Arms and Crest in small boxes.—H.W.A.]

[This Richard is named in his Brother Jonas' Will and evidently married late in life (about 55) as he dies 8 years after marriage leaving young children and was born long before 1666 as above stated.]

1744, August 5. Mr. Prescott, Master of Catherine Hall, Cambridge, and Prebendary of Norwich, married to Miss Appleyard. Gent. Mag.

Palmer's Perustration of Great Yarmouth, Vol. 1, p. 166 & 245. Vol. 2, p. 103, deals with Dr. Kenrick Prescott and his wife's family.

In the N. E. corner of the Chapel of St. Catherine's Cambridge. "Kenricus Prescott, S.T.P. Magister Collegii obiit 8tio Augusti, 1779. *Ætatis* 77." His wife was also buried there, but there does not appear to be any inscription to her memory.

In Heralds College is recorded a pedigree under the name of Prescott recording this Yarmouth Branch of the Appleyards.

GENTLEMAN'S MAGAZINE.

1759, April 11th. John Rogers of Tewkesbury, was married to Miss [Ann] Appleyard of the Mythe. [Sister to the next.]

1764, April 30. Mr. [Robert] Appleyard, of Carey Street, to Miss [Frances] Langley, of Newington.

MARRIAGE SETTLEMENT.

1764, April 28. Between Frances Langley of the prh. of St. Mary, Islington, Spinster, of the 1st part; Robert Appleyard of St. Dunstan in the West, Gent, of the 2nd part; and Joseph Clarke of prh. of St. Sepulchre, Middx., Clock-case maker, and John Dowse of the said last parish, Ironmonger, of the 3rd part.

STOCKPORT, CHESHIRE.

The year 1806, p. 78. No. 160. Robert Langley Appleyard, Esq., of Lincolns Inn, London, and Jane Mary Prescott of this parish, spinster, were married in this Church by License, from the Revd. C. Prescott, Surrogate, this 30 August, 1806. By me Charles Prescott. Duly signed and witnessed.

On the floor of the Chancel on the north side within the Altar rails is the following:—"Anna Jane Appleyard, Granddaughter of Charles and Jane Prescott, who died 7 Dec., 1837, aged 22 years."

On a small mural table is inscribed:—"In memory of Jane Frances, daughter of Robert Langley Appleyard and Jane Mary his wife, and Granddaughter of the Rev. Charles Prescott, Rector of this parish. Died 13 April, 1812. Æt 4 years and 9 months."

Extract from Family Bible described in will of Robert Langley Appleyard, interalia, as that of 'his mother's great uncle Richard Gawton.'

"Mary Clarke || her book || Given her by her Uncle Richard Gawton." ||

[Then follows in handwriting of Robert Langley Appleyard.]

Roger Gawton.

Sic Gorton.	Richard Gorton	—	
	Richard Gorton.	.	. . . Gorton.
		Mary G.=married Clarke.	
		„ =married Langley.	
		Frances Langley.	

"My Grandmother the above Mary Clarke, married Thomas Langley." R.L.A.

Thomas Langley died October ye 17, 1763, aged 51.

* Mary Langley died September ye 20, 1763, aged 52.

[By the side of this is written by Robert Langley Appleyard.]

* "the above Mary Clarke."

[End of 2nd fly leaf.]

"Frances, dau. of Thomas and Mary Langley, late Clarke, born the 8th day of February, about four o'clock in the afternoon. Baptised the 7th day of March, 174 $\frac{1}{2}$, born at Northaw, Herts.

[The above last entry has been patched up and the following words are in the handwriting of Robert Langley Appleyard.]

"Frances," "late Clarke born," "Baptised on," "born at Northaw, Herts."

[Then comes in bold fine characters.]

"Frances Langley was married the 30 April, 1764, to Robert Appleyard, of Dyers Buildings, Holborn, London.

Sponsors	Dr. Prescott.	"Robert Langley Appleyard, son
	Jonas Appleyard,	of Robert & Frances Appleyard, was
	Junior.	born in Dyers Buildings, on Satur-
	Mrs. Ann Rogers.	day the 27th April, 1765.

Mr. Jackson.

Mr. Job Smith.

Mrs. Jas. Browne.

Mr. Jonas Appleyard, senior	"Francis Ann Appleyard was
Mrs. Ann Ford.	born in Dyers Buildings, on
Mrs. Coley.	Friday, the 1st July, 1768."

[Underneath these entries is written by Robert Langley Appleyard.]

"The above statement (with the exception of the first three lines*) is all in the handwriting of my late father Robert Appleyard, (except as mended.) Robert L. Appleyard."

[All the following is in the handwriting of Robert Langley Appleyard.]

"My sister, the above Frances Ann, married in 1795 to William, son of Joseph Boulton, of Baxterley in Warwickshire, (by whom she had several children) and died at Broadmeadow, near the Hay, in Breconshire, on the 17 April, 1880, and was buried at Clifford. R.L.A."

[End of 3rd fly leaf.]

"Robert Appleyard (eldest son of Jonas and Elizabeth Appleyard) was born the 11th May, 1736, and on the 30th April, 1764, married (at Islington) to Frances Langley, only child of Thomas and Mary Langley, (formerly Clarke) who was born on the 8th February, 174 $\frac{1}{2}$, at Northaw, Herts.

[Then there follows a repetition of the children of the above (before set out on 3rd fly leaf) with a note thus "All baptised at St. Andrews, Holborn." Then follows.]

"The above Robert Appleyard died on Tuesday, the 17 Mar., 1795, at his house in New Ormond Street, and was buried on Tuesday, the 24 March, at Wilsden near Harrow, in Middlesex.

* Those beginning with "The daughter of."

Where also were buried the above mentioned Jonas Appleyard senr., and Elizabeth his wife, and Ann Rogers their daughter, and also Richard Appleyard their son. Robert L. Appleyard.

[Over each name is (a), (b), (c), (d).]

[Then comes]

"a, Jonas Appleyard, senr., died —, aged — years."

"b, Elizabeth Appleyard, died 15th August, 1757, aged 55 years."

"c, Ann Rogers, died 1st July, 1775, aged 36 years."

"d, Richard Appleyard, died 18th August, 1761, aged 24 years."

"Note—Jonas Appleyard, junr., died at the Hague, in Holland, and was buried there." Robert L. Appleyard.

[This Jonas, junr., was a son of the above named Jonas, senr., and uncle to Robert Langley Appleyard to whom he was godfather. The London Magazine of 18 Oct. 1769, gives the death of Jonas Appleyard, senior, which is 3 days anterior to his burial at Willesden. Jonas junior's baptism cannot be found at Northaw as the Registers are destroyed by fire.

[After this appears]

"My brother, the above Richard Smith Appleyard, in 1794, married Miss Ann Hall, by whom he has four sons."

"My sister, the above Frances Ann Appleyard, married on the 17th Sept. 1795, William Boulton, fourth son of Joseph Boulton, of Baxterley, Warwickshire, Esq., by whom she has several children."

"My mother, the above Frances Appleyard, died in New Ormond street, on the — day of November, 1814, and was buried at Wilsden; where also was buried my aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson, of Mythe, near Tewkesbury; my father's sister, and widow of Richard Jackson, Esquire."

"Robert L. Appleyard."

"Montague Street, May 21, 1825."

[Then follows at the end of the Bible.]

"I was married at Stockport, in Cheshire, on the 30th August, 1806, to my cousin, Jane Mary Prescott, (who was born the 5th August, 1785), eldest daughter of the Rev. Charles Prescott, Rector of Stockport, in Cheshire, (only son of Dr. Kenrick Prescott, Master of Catherine Hall, Cambridge, by my father's first cousin Mary Appleyard, of Yarmouth, in Norfolk, by Jane Dyson, daughter of Joseph Dyson, Alderman of Chester, by whom I had the 9 following children, viz:—

Jane Frances Appleyard born the 16 July, 1807. Died at Stockport on the 18 April, 1812, and was buried there.

Mary Elizabeth Appleyard born 26 Jan., 1809.

Robert Prescott Appleyard born 22 Sept., 1810.

Charles Appleyard born 18 Oct., 1811.

Henry William Appleyard born 24 Jan., 1813.

Anna Jane Appleyard born 5 March, 1814.

Frances Margaret Appleyard born 31 July, 1815.

All the above children were born at my house in Doughty Street and christened at Stockport by their Grandfather the Rector.

Louisa Susanna Appleyard born 19th Jany., at my house in Montague Street, Russell Square, and christened at Stockport by her Grandfather.

Francis Needham Appleyard born there the 13 May, 1826. Bapt'd. the 25 at home by the Rev. C. K. Prescott and registered at the parish of St. George, Bloomsbury. Died aged about 2 months and buried in that parish.

My dearest wife Jane Mary Appleyard (with whom I had lived in a state of great happiness near 20 years) was taken from me by death on Friday, the 19th May, 1826, and was buried at Willesden, on Wednesday, the 24th, in the same grave wherein my father was buried, being the 2nd south from the bricked grave of my cousin Mary Ann, daughter of Job Smith of Yarmouth, to the south of the Tower of the Church.

(sd.) Robt. L. Appleyard,

Montague Street, May 26th, 1826.

My dear child the above Anna Jane died at the house of her aunt Susan Brickshaw, at Bridbury near Stockport, on the 7th of December, 1837, at $\frac{1}{2}$ past 10 at night, and was buried at Stockport in the Church there. R.L.A."

[Here ends the handwriting of Robert Langley Appleyard and the following is that of the late Robert Prescott Appleyard, his son, to which he has added to the first, sixth, and remaining paragraphs respectively his signature, and to the second, fourth, and fifth paragraphs respectively his initials.]

"My father the above Robert Langley Appleyard died at his house in Montague Street, the eighth of December, 1843, and was buried at Willesden, on Friday, the fifteenth of the same month, aged 78 years and 8 months.

3, York Street, Portman Square, July 30, 1844.

My brother, the above Charles Appleyard, was married at Plymouth on the 22nd of Aug., 1844, to Catherine Eleanor, daughter of Capt. William Daykin, of Oriel Mount, Totnes.

[Here ends 1st page of 1st fly leaf at end of the Bible.]

My brother, the before named Henry William Appleyard, died at Auckland in Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand, on the twelfth of July, 1846.

On the twenty-fourth of June, 1847, a daughter was born to my brother, the before named Charles Appleyard, and was christened on the 12th of August following, at Harrow Weald, by the names of Catherine Jane Selby.

On the eighth of January, 1850, a daughter was born to my brother, the before named Charles Appleyard, and was christened

on the 25th of June following, at Harrow Weald, by the names of Augusta Louisa.

On the thirtieth of September, 1851, I was married at the Parish Church of St. Mary-le-bone, by the Rev. Beresford Lowther, to Emma, second daughter of the late Gen. Geo. Horsford.

My sister, the above named Frances Margaret Appleyard, died at her residence Fair Leigh, Upton Slough, on Thursday, the 19th of March, 1874, and was buried on the Thursday following, March the 26th, 1874, at Willesden in the County of Middlesex.

My sister-in-law, the above Catherine Eleanor, wife of my brother Charles Appleyard, died at Hastings, in Sussex, on the 5th of Sept., 1879, and was bur. in the Brompton Cemetery on the following Friday, Sept. 11th, 1879.

My niece, the above named Augusta Louisa Appleyard, died at her father's house No. 11, Redcliffe Square, South Kensington, on Thursday, the 14th of July, 1881, in the 32nd year of her age, and was bur. in the Brompton Cemetery on the Tuesday following, the 19 of July, 1881.

[Here ends 2nd page of said 1st fly leaf.]

My brother, the above named Charles Appleyard, died at his house No. 11, Redcliffe Square, South Kensington, on the 25th of December, Christmas day, 1882, in the 72nd year of his age, and was buried in his family vault under the East wall in the Brompton Cemetery, on the 28th of December, 1882."

Carlton Club, Pall Mall,
London, Dec. 29, 1882."

[This latter date only refers to the last entry, and here ends handwriting of R.P.A.]

Robert Prescott Appleyard, eldest son of Robert Langley Appleyard, died at 7, Stafford Street, Bond Street, 11 June, 1886, in his 76th year; Buried at Brompton Cemetery, 16 June, 1886. He left a widow but no children.

(sd.) R. N. Appleyard.

Extract from the Family Bible of Sylvanus Hall, of London, Citizen, in the possession of Miss Victoria Appleyard. Interlia.

Sylvanus Hall died 23 Nov., 1792, aged 62, buried as above.

[Gentleman's Magazine, 1792, Vol. 2, p. 1062, "23 Nov., of an Asthmatic complaint, Mr. Sylvanus Hall, an eminent Builder and Carpenter in Paternoster Row, and one of the Common Councilmen of Farringdon Ward within."]

Ann Hall, dau. of Sylvanus and Ann Hall, married the 5th July, 1794, to Richard Smith Appleyard.—St. George the Martyr. [Southwark.]

Robert Appleyard, the father of the above Richard Smith Appleyard, died 17 Mar., 1795, aged 59.

Richard Hall Appleyard, son of the above named Richard and Ann, was born on Saturday, the 8th Augt., 1795, at 9 o'clock at night.—St. Pancras Parish.

Robert Boulton Appleyard, born 12 July, 1797, 8 o'clock morning.—St. Pancras.

Frederick Newman Appleyard, born 20 Feby., $\frac{1}{4}$ before 9, morning, 1800.—St. Andrews, Holborn.

Ernest Sylvanus, born 9 Oct., 1804, $\frac{1}{4}$ before 4 in the morning, at Mr. Dowbiggin's house in the parish of Enfield, Middlesex.

Frederick Newman Appleyard married to Theresa Mordaunt. Paddington Green Church. 1826.

Robert Boulton Appleyard married to Ann Leonard, 25th July, 1851, at Edinboro'.

The Revd. Ernest Sylvanus Appleyard married to Ann Elizabeth Jackson, at Saint Pancras New Church, on Thursday, the 25th day of February, 1836.

Frederick's dau. born 12 Oct., 1826. Xened by the name of Ann Frederica.

Frederick's son born 6 June, 1829. Xened by the name of Frederick Ernest.

Frances Appleyard, the mother of the above named Richard Smith Appleyard, died November the 20th, 1814, in the 70th year of her age.

Frances Ann Boulton, daughter of the above named Frances Appleyard, died April 17, 1830.

Robert Langley Appleyard, son of the above named Frances Appleyard, died Dec. 8, 1843, in his 79th year.

Ann Elizabeth Appleyard, wife of the Revd. Ernest Sylvanus Appleyard, died March the 2nd, 1844. *Æt* 33.

The above Richard Smith Appleyard departed this life on the 31 day of December, 1846, at 26, Bloomsbury Square, of an effusion of water from the heart, having enjoyed perfect health without a day's illness through life, in his 81st year (his birthday was the 11th November) and was buried in the Kensal Green Cemetery, in a vault in the ground. R.H.A.

Ann Appleyard (daughter of Sylvanus and Ann Hall) died on the 27 January, 1849, at 20 minutes before twelve at night, at 26, Bloomsbury Square, of general decay from old age in her 78th year, having had delicate health thro' life and for a great many years in the middle of her life Epileptic Fits, (her birthday was the 4th August). She was buried in the Kensal Green Cemetery in the vault with her husband. R.H.A.

With the permission of the Editor I propose at a near date to add some further notes including Wills and Tombstone Inscriptions.

Henry W. Aldred,

181, Coldharbour Lane, Camberwell.

OLD YORKSHIRE M.P.'s.

By THE REV. R. V. TAYLOR, B.A., (*continued*).

BEAUMONT, H. F., S. West Riding, 1865; and Colne Valley, 1885. Henry Fred. Beaumont, Esq., of Whitley Beaumont, nr. Huddersfield, is the eldest son of the late Henry Ralph Beaumont, Esq., by Catherine, dau. of the late Sir Geo. Cayley, Bart.; was born in 1833; and married, in 1857, Maria Joanna, only surviving dau. of Wm. Garforth, Esq., of Wiganthorpe, Yorks. He was educated at Eton and Trinity College, Cambridge; is a J.P. and D.L. for the West Riding and a Magistrate for the North Riding of Yorkshire. See also Burke's "Commoners," and "Landed Gentry," and Walford's "County Families."

BEAUMONT, SIR RICHARD, Pontefract, 1625. Sir Richard Beaumont, of Whitley Hall, Kirkheaton, Yorks., where the portraits are unusually numerous, both in the dining and drawing rooms. Besides many others of less interest, there is the stern and expressive countenance of Sir Richard Beaumont, Knt. and Bart., who was born at Whitley, Aug. 2nd, 1574, and baptized at Almondbury; was aged five months and two days at his father's death, and was knighted by James I., July 23rd, 1609. On May 18th, 1613, he had a commission to command 200 of the trained band of soldiers; in 15th James I. he was justice of the peace and treasurer for lame soldiers in the West Riding of Yorkshire. In 1625 he was M.P. for Pontefract and created a Baronet by patent dated Aug. 19th, 1628. He died Oct. 20th, 1631, aged 58, and was buried at Kirkheaton. There is an original portrait of him, with crest and arms, in possession of the above H. F. Beaumont, Esq., which was at the Leeds Exhibition; another engraved by Basire, 4to, proof, &c. See also Hailstone's "Photographs of Yorkshire Worthies," No. 56; and Canon Hulbert's "Annals of the Church and Parish of Almondbury," &c. For an engraving of the "Tomb of Sir Richard Beaumont, Bart., in the Beaumont Chapel, Kirkheaton," see Whitaker's "Loidis," p. 338, &c.

BEAUMONT, THOS. RICH'D., Northumberland. Thos. Richd. Beaumont, Esq., Colonel and M.P. for Northumberland, died July 31st, 1829, at Bretton Hall, nr. Wakefield, (for an engraving of which, see the 4th vol. of Neale's "Seats," and "Yorkshire Notes and Queries,"); and was succeeded by his son, Thos. Wentworth Beaumont, Esq., M.P. For a Biographical Sketch of the above, see the "Gentleman's Magazine," for 1829, vol. 2, p. 274, &c.

BEAUMONT, W. B., Northumberland, 1852. Wentworth Blackett Beaumont, Esq., of Bretton Park, nr. Wakefield, &c., and M.P. for South Northumberland, since 1852, is the son of the late T. W. Beaumont, Esq., M.P., by Henrietta Jane, dau.

of J. Atkinson, Esq.; was born in 1829; married in 1856, Lady Margaret Anne, dau. of the Marquis of Clanricarde; was educated at Harrow and Trinity College, Cambridge; is a J.P. for the Counties of Durham, Northumberland, and the West Riding of Yorkshire. He is the patron of six livings. See also Burke's "Landed Gentry," & Walford's "County Families," &c.

BECKETT, RT. HON. SIR JOHN, Leeds, 1834-'35. The Right Hon. Sir John Beckett, 2nd Bart., M.P., D.C.L., F.R.S., &c., was a Privy Councillor, and a Benchler of the Inner Temple, formerly Judge Advocate General, and M.P. for Leeds, &c., died at Brighton, May 31st, 1847, aged 72. He was the eldest son of the first Sir John Beckett, banker, of Leeds, who died in 1826, by Mary, dau. of the Right Rev. Chris. Wilson, D.D., Lord Bishop of Bristol. He was born at Leeds on the 17th of May, 1775, and educated at the Leeds Grammar School, and afterwards at Trinity College, Cambridge, where he took high honours. He was called to the Bar in Feb., 1803, and went the Northern Circuit. In Feb., 1806, he took office as Under-Secretary of State for the Home Department; and in July, 1817, he was appointed a Privy Councillor. Sir John first entered the House of Commons as Member for Cockermonth, and succeeded his father in Sept., 1826. He was Judge-Marshal and Advocate-General during the Duke of Wellington's Administration, from 1828 to 1830, and again during the short period Sir Robert Peel was in office, from 1834 to 1835. In Feb., 1834, on Mr. T. B. Macaulay, M.P. for Leeds, being appointed a Member of the Council in India, he had a severe contest for Leeds with Mr. Edw. Baines, Sir John polling 1917 votes, and Mr. Baines 1951. At the general election of 1835, Sir John was returned for Leeds at the head of the poll; but in 1837 he was defeated. He married, in Jan., 1817, Lady Anne Lowther, dau. of William, Earl of Lonsdale, K.G., who survived him, without issue. He, like his next brother, Christopher, who died in March, 1847, died without will, and thus the landed estates, estimated at £10,000 a year, together with the baronetcy, devolved upon his next brother, Sir Thos. Beckett. A fine portrait of him was engraved by Turner, from a painting by Schwanfelder, of Leeds, &c. See also Hailstone's "Photographs of Yorkshire Worthies," No. 192; and the "Worthies of Leeds," &c.

BECKETT, WILLIAM, Leeds, 1841-'47; and Ripon, 1852-'57. Wm. Beckett, Esq., of Kirkstall Grange, nr. Leeds, formerly M.P. for Leeds and Ripon, died at Brighton, Jan. 26th, 1863, in his 79th year. He was the principal partner in the eminent banking firm of Beckett & Co., of the Leeds "Old Bank," and for more than forty years held a leading position in the borough, and stood high in the estimation of his fellow-townsmen. He had filled with ability, prudence, public spirit, and we may even

say with meekness, a very eminent position in the banking and mercantile world. His person was noble and commanding, his manners highly popular, his talents good, his mode of speaking in public clear and effective, so that he might have taken a far more prominent position in politics, if he had chosen; but his never failing moderation led him to decline any peculiar prominence. He was born at Leeds in 1784, and was the fifth son of the first Sir John Beckett, and heir-presumptive to Sir Thos. Beckett, Bart. He married, in 1841, Frances Adelina, a sister of F. C. Meynell-Ingram, Esq., of Temple Newsam, who survived him, without issue. Mr. Beckett was much attached to his native town, and was a liberal supporter of its institutions. He was the founder of several schools, and contributed largely to the support of Churches, educational institutions of all kinds, and all its charities. To the Philosophical Hall, the new Infirmary, the intended Mechanics' Hall, the projected Church at Headingley, and a multitude of other objects, he gave munificent donations. He also left £1,000 a year for ten years, to be devoted to Church purposes in the borough of Leeds. A full length portrait of him was painted by Sir Francis Grant, R.A., and presented to the Leeds Town Hall. It well becomes the place it occupies (the Mayor's reception-room), being an excellent likeness of one of the noblest of the "Worthies of Leeds," a man whose character and deeds will long shed a bright light over his native town. There is another portrait of him, standing, in uniform, engraved by Lupton, from a painting by Henry Smith, of Leeds, &c. An elaborate monument was also erected to his memory in the Leeds Parish Church, for an engraving of which, see Moore's "History," p. 34, &c. See also the "Worthies of Leeds," pp. 506-9, with references, and "Supplement," p. 672, &c.

BECKETT-DENISON, SIR EDMUND, West Riding, 1841-59. Sir Edward Beckett-Denison, 4th Bart., and M.P. for the West Riding, died at his Doncaster residence, May 24th, 1874, in his 88th year. This venerable and highly esteemed gentleman was a younger son of the first baronet, Sir John Beckett, of Leeds; and was the third brother succeeding to the title, Sir Edmund having only come into the baronetcy some eighteen months before, on the death of Sir Thomas Beckett, Nov. 17th, 1872. He assumed the name of Denison on inheriting the property of his wife's great aunt, Lady Denison, widow of Sir Thos., of Leeds, and a Judge of the Common Pleas. It is by this name Yorkshiremen know him best, he having represented the West Riding in Parliament from 1841 to 1859, and fought one of the most memorable political contests on record. In July, 1841, the West Riding election resulted in the return of two Conservatives. As Mr. Denison he will also be remembered as Chairman for nearly twenty years of the Great Northern

Railway, of which line he was one of the earliest and most energetic promoters. It was when the Great Northern undertaking was in its infancy that Mr. Denison became more especially identified with Doncaster, where he had continued to reside ever since, and to which town he had ever been a good friend. To his influence, in no small measure, is attributed the great prosperity of the town, for not only by its connection with the main line, but by reason of the establishment there of the plant works of the company, Doncaster has greatly profited during the last thirty years. His funeral took place on the 29th of May, at Christ Church, Doncaster, which he had been the means of erecting; and it was one of the largest ever known in Doncaster. He was succeeded by his eldest son, Sir Edmund Beckett Denison, Q.C., the well known Parliamentary barrister, and the Chancellor of York, who dropped the name of Denison, and who has just been promoted to the peerage. His other sons were the late Christopher Beckett Denison, formerly M.P. for the Eastern Division of the West Riding; and Wm. Beckett Denison, Esq., M.P. for Retford, &c., who married one of Lord Feversham's daughters, and has issue, Ernest Wm. Denison, Esq., of Kirkstall Grange, and M.P. for the Whitby Division.

BEDALE, WM. DE, Scarboro', 1836.

BEDALE, WM., York, 1488.

There was a John Bedale, Vicar of Aysgarth, in 1432; and a Robert Bedale, Vicar of Easington, in 1419; of Catterick, 1429; of Garforth, 1430; and of Tadcaster, in 1434; and a Thos. Bedell, Archdeacon of Cleveland, in 1533, &c.

BEDINGFIELD, SIR ROBERT, Hedon, 1700. For an account of whom, see the extinct "Peerages and Baronetages," &c.

BEECROFT, GEO. S., Leeds, 1857-'60, and '65. For an account of whom, see hereafter in the next number.



YORKSHIRE M.P's. temp. Edward VI. and Mary. I shall be obliged to any reader of *Yorkshire Notes & Queries* who can give information respecting or help me to identify any of the under-mentioned M.P's.

PARL. 1547-52. Edward Elderton, Robert Gouche, Heydon. John Thacker, Walter Jobson, sat from 1547-1557, Hull. William Holme, Alderman, sat from 1547-1557, York.

PARL. 1552-3.—Robert Shakerley, sat in 1552-3 and 1553, Heydon. William Johnson, sat in 1552-3 and 1553, Hull. George Dakyns, Scarborough.

PARL. 1553.—Ralph Scrope, gent., Knaresborough. John North, Alderman, Robert Hall, Alderman, sat also for Beverley 1563-67.

PARL. 1554.—John Long, gent., Knaresborough. Robert Massey, Tristram Cooke, Scarborough. John Beyne, Richard White, York.

PARL. 1554-5.—Robert Kempe, gent., Boroughbridge. Henry Fisher, Knaresborough, (called by Willis, "Sir Humphrey Fisher,"), Thomas Chalys, Knaresborough, (called by Willis, "Sir Thomas Choloner,"), Francis Ashlaby, Scarborough.

PARL. 1557-8.—John Browne, gent., Aldbrough. John Goldwell, gent., Heydon. Henry Darcy, Esq., Knaresborough. William Hethe, Esq., Thomas Lewkenor, gent., Ripon. Richard Josue, gent., Scarborough. Robert Rose, Esq., Thirsk. Robert Paycock, York. W. D. PINK.

ROUTH.—An old MS Pedigree, drawn up about the middle of the last Century, now in my possession, gives the marriage of John Routh, of Scarborough, Esq., with Mary, only surviving child of Thomas Lewin, (of the family of Lewin, or Lewen, of Amble, Co. Northumberland), by Anne, dau. of Francis Radcliffe, of Meldon, Esq. The date of this marriage is not given, but the above John Routh was dead before 12th May, 1761; when Mrs. Mary Routh is described as a widow, and their daughter Julia was aged 19, being then about to marry my great grandfather John Hamerton. Verification of the marriage of John Routh with Mary Lewin, (portraits of both of whom are still in our possession), or any information about the family of Routh, of Scarborough, would be most gratefully received by me.

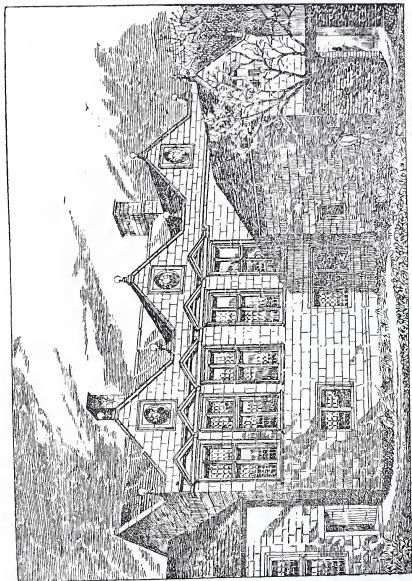
John Hamerton Crump, Junior Carlton Club, London, S.W.

Pedigree of the Leaches.

The Pedigree of the Leaches, of Morton, Morton Moorehouse, Gilstead, West Riddlesden, Micklethwaite, and other places in the parish of Bingley, in the County of York, from William Leach, Great Great Grandfather to David Leach of Riddlesden, Thomas Leach of Burlington and Morton Moorehouse, Thomas Leach of the Honourable Societies of Greys Inn and Staple Inn; and of Robert Leach of Micklethwaite from Joan Leach. (By favour of Henry Cowling, Esq., York, from a parchment written in or about 1749.)

1405, June 8, In the 6th year of King Henry the 4th, he by his Mandate appointed John Stanley and Roger Leach, his chosen faithful servants, to seize the City of York and all its privileges, and to keep it and govern it separately or together till [further orders].

1490, Nov., In the 8th year of King Henry the 6th, it appears by Deed of this date that John Leche of Shelfe, in the parish of Halifax, spelled and wrote his name Leche as by deed in David Leach's custody at Riddlesden.



(Drawn by Mr. Alfred Whitehead, Leeds.)

RIDDLESDEN HALL.

1491, May 11, In the year of King Henry the 7th, by another deed of this date in the hands of Thomas Leach, of Burlington and Morton Moorehouse, it appears that William Leche and John Leche of the parish of Bingley, also spelled their names Leche. From this Family one went to Cawarden or Carden in Cheshire, and another to Lincolnshire, who then wrote their names Leche and do so still.

1535, July 5th, In the 26th year of King Henry the 8th, Joan Leach, widow of — Leach, surrendered her estate at Mickethwaite in the parish of Bingley, into the hands of Thomas Astley, Esq., then Lord of the Manor, in trust for her second son Thomas, John the eldest son being then settled on the estate at Morton Moorehouse.

1566, Nov. 8, The above Thomas Leach, son of Joan Leach, by his Will directed his body to be buried near the Wall of the Church called Allhallowes, in Bingley, and gave his Estate at Mickethwaite to his son Thomas, and left eight other children and made the above John of Morton Moorehouse, his brother, his Executor.

In the Twenty-second of Queen Elizabeth, John Leche of Carden or Cawarden, in Cheshire, bore the above Arms as a second branch of the family and so continued. Viz: *Gules, Ducal Coronets Or.* (See accompanying plate.)

The above named William Leach had issue: John, Margaret, Thomas, Isabella, Robert.

John, baptized 8th November, 1584. He married Grace Pighills, daughter of . . . by whom he had no issue, and afterwards married Anne, daughter of Thomas Maude, of West Riddlesden, Esq.; who surviving all her brothers (being seven or eight in number), became sole heiress of the family, and had issue by her, Thomas, born in 1638; Elizabeth.

Thomas, son of the above John and Anne Leach, married Mary, daughter of . . . Hargreaves, of Goldshaw Booth, near Padiham, in Lancashire, by whom he had issue: Ann, Maudland died an infant unmarried, John, David died an infant and unmarried, Mary, Thomas born in 1672.

Ann, daughter of the above named Thomas and Mary Leach, married Richard Wainman, of Draughton, near Skipton, by whom he had issue: Thomas, Martha, and Joseph.

John, son of the above named Thomas and Mary Leach, married Mary, daughter of Christopher Hartley, of Barrowford, near Colne, in Lancashire, by whom he had issue: David, Mary died an infant and unmarried, Thomas, John, Eleazer, Benjamin and William.

Mary, daughter of said Thomas and Mary Leach, married Richard Coates, of Morton, by whom she had issue: David, Samuel, Susanna, John died an infant, Ann, Mary.

• Thomas, son of the said Thomas and Mary Leach, married Ellen, daughter of Hoyle, of Kirby Lonsdale, in the county of Westmorland, by whom he had issue: John, Sarah died an infant, Abigail died an infant, Thomas. Mary died an infant, Ann, Isabell died an infant.

Elizabeth, daughter of said John and Ann Leach, was married to Fleming, of the kingdom of Scotland, by whom she had issue: one daughter named Barbara; she married Michael Mitchell, of Marley Hall, in the parish of Bingley, by whom she had issue.

Thomas, son of said Richard and Ann Wainman, married Sarah, daughter of Walker, of Bingley, by whom she had issue: John, Thomas, Abigail, and some others who died infants.

John, son of said Thomas and Ann Wainman, married Sarah Wood, daughter of Joshua Wood, of Bramley, and widow of Samuel Hollings, by whom he had issue: John and Elizabeth.

Thomas, son of said Thomas and Ann Wainman, married and had issue: two daughters.

Abigail, daughter of said Thomas and Ann Wainman, was married to Lambert Powell, of Bingley, by whom she had issue: four children, who all died infants.

Martha, daughter of said Richard and Ann Wainman, was married to her first husband; and to William Halliday, of Tong Parke, near Baildon, her second husband, by whom she had issue a son named Abraham.

Joseph, son of said Richard and Ann Wainman, married, and had issue a daughter.

David, son of said John and Mary Leach, was born 15th October, 1695, he married Rachael, daughter of Thomas Fenton, of Hunslett, by whom he had issue: Mary, born 24th February, 1722; Thomas, born 16th November, 1725; Ann, born 4th June, 1728, died 15th April, 1744; Rachael, born 10th November, 1730; William, born 16th May, 1732.

[David Leach, the owner of West Riddlesden Hall, died 8th August, 1752, and was succeeded by his son Thomas, in whose family I believe the property remained until about 30 or 40 years ago, when it was purchased by Mr. Greenwood, of Swarcliffe.
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Thomas, son of said John and Mary Leach, married and had no issue, he died August 22nd, 1749.

John, son of said John and Mary Leach, married Rose, daughter of James Emmett, of Morton, by whom he had issue.

Eleazer, son of said John and Mary Leach, married Martha, daughter of Shackleton, of Ingraby, by whom he had issue, a son died an infant.

Benjamin, son of said John and Mary Leach, died a bachelor.

William, son of said John and Mary Leach, married, and had no issue.

John, son of said Thomas and Ellen Leach, married Grace, daughter of John Rawson, of Laund House, near Bingley, by whom he had issue, Thomas and Sarah.

Thomas, son of said John and Grace Leach, now a bachelor.

Sarah, daughter of said John and Grace Leach, was married to Thomas Bland, of Halifax, by whom she had issue, two daughters died infants and unmarried.

Thomas, son of said Thomas and Ellen Leach, was born 17th July, 1700, he married Ann, daughter of William Garth, of Idle, by whom he had issue: William, born 9th June, 1727, died 8th November, 1737; Ann, born 12th March, 1728; Ellen, 29th June, 1730; Mary, 3rd June, 1732; Thomas, 26th March, 1734, died 15th February, 1741; David, born 22nd December, 1735, died 4th May, 1741; Benjamin, born 23rd February, 1739; Thomas, born 29th April, 1742; Katherine, 8th October, 1744; William, born 9th November, 1747.

Ann, daughter of said Thomas and Ellen Leach, was married to John Hodgson, of Bradford, by whom she had issue: William, born 10th March, 1728; Abigail, born 4th May, 1731; Ann, born 4th January, 1732, died an infant; Alice, born 11th January, 1734; Thomas, born 15th August, 1736; John, born 21st July, 1738, died an infant. And married Richard Whitaker, of Platt, near Manchester, to her second husband, by whom she had issue: Elizabeth, born July 1744, died an infant; Hannah, born 29th January, 1746.

David, son of said Richard and Mary Coates, married Grace, daughter of Richard Wilkinson, of Weskit hill, by whom he had issue: Mary, Martha, John, Thomas, Sarah died an infant, David died an infant, Sarah died an infant, David died an infant.

Samuel, son of said Richard and Mary Coates, married Martha, daughter of John Midgley, of Addingham, by whom he had issue: Ann, John, Samuel, now unmarried; Thomas, and another died an infant.

Susanna, daughter of said Richard and Mary Coates, married Samuel Hartley, of Burley-wood-head, by whom she had issue, Samuel, now a bachelor.

Ann, daughter of said Richard and Mary Coates, married Thomas Simpson, of . . . end, near Knaresborough forest, by whom she had issue, Mary and Thomas.

Mary, daughter of said Richard and Mary Coates, married Silvester Catterson, of Shipton, by whom he had issue: Stephen, Mary, Grace, and Ann.

Mary, daughter of said David and Grace Coates, married Joshua Cowling, of Brunthwaite, by whom she had issue: John, David, Joshua, Mary, Grace died, Susan, now infants; another born September 27th, 1749, [this was Samuel.]

[There were other children of Mary and Joshua Cowling, born after this pedigree was made. One of these children (Samuel,) married Nancy Leach, daughter of Wm. Leach, younger son of David, and this Samuel and Nancy were my grand-parents.

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Martha, daughter of said David and Grace Coates, married Joseph Heaton, of Gawthorpe Hall, by whom she had issue: Mary, Grace, Peter, Martha, and Joseph.

John, son of said David and Grace Coates, married Elizabeth, daughter of Joshua Firth, of Kipping, by whom he had issue: Joshua, Sarah, and David.

Thomas, son of said David and Grace Coates, married Elizabeth, daughter of Jonas White, of Allerton, by whom he had issue.

Mary, daughter of said Thomas and Ann Simpson, married Robert Spencer, of Addingham, by whom she had issue: Margaret, baptised in 1556; Thomas, baptised 20th December, 1557, died an infant in January; Isabella, baptised 29th Sept., 1589, died an infant, unmarried.

Robert, baptised 21st July, 159-, last son of said William Leach, . . . by whom he had issue: John, died an infant, in November, 1629; Ann, died an infant three days after; Abraham, baptised 30th November, 1620; Thomas died an infant, in April, 1636; Isaac, baptised February 11th, 1626, died an infant.

Abraham. (son of Abraham Leach, son of Robert Leach,) married Susan A' Green, of Morton, and had issue by her: Isaac, baptised . . . July, 1663; Isabella, baptised 3rd June, 1666; Abraham, baptised 13th September, 1668; (Thomas,) baptised 12th January, 1670.

The above-named Isaac Leach, son of said Abraham and Susan Leach, married Ann Hill, daughter of Richard Hill, of Gisburn, by whom he had issue: Isaac, baptised 13th July, 1707; Abraham, baptised 7th March, 1708; Thomas, baptised in March, 17—.

The above-named Isaac Leach, son of said Isaac and Ann Leach, married Ann, daughter of William Oddie, of Marton tops, near Gisburne, by whom he has no issue.

The above-named Abraham Leach, son of said Isaac and Ann Leach, died at Knaresborough, a bachelor.

Thomas Leach, son of the above-named Isaac and Ann Leach, married Jane, daughter of John Tasker, of (Couston,) by whom he has issue, a son named Isaac, born the 11th day of February, 173(5).

The above-named Isabella Leach, daughter of said Abraham and Susan Leach, was married to Matthew Willman, of Morton, by whom she had issue a son, who married and died without issue, and another died an infant.

The said Abraham Leach, son of said Abraham and Susan Leach, married Hannah, third daughter of John and Elizabeth Rayner, of Adlers Height and Holme, in the Lordship of Tong, by whom he had issue: Thomas, born 21st August, 1700; John, born 19th September, 1702, he died at Jamaica, in America, 3rd April, 1725, a bachelor.

Thomas Leach, son of said Abraham and Susan Leach, married Elizabeth, daughter of Francis Berry, of East Morton, by whom he had issue, Thomas a son, born 1701, died at seven weeks old.

THE MICKLETHWAITE Family, 1587, August 23rd.

Thomas Leach, by his will dated this day, gave his estate at Micklethwaite, &c., to his brother Robert Leach, and died unmarried.

The said Robert Leach had issue:

William, he married Agnes, daughter of John Rawson, by whom he had issue: John, Thomas, they died without issue; Robert, Margaret she married—Ferrand, Ellen, Elizabeth, one of these married Walter Butler; Isabella, Margaret, one of these married Francis Butterfield. 1612, April 15th.

The above-said Robert Leach, who had issue Robert, made his will of this date, and thereby gave his estate at Micklethwaite, &c., to Trustees during his son's minority, being then an infant.

This Robert Leach the son of the above Robert Leach, married Isabella, the daughter of Giles Bean, 23rd January, 1629, and died in February, 1675, and had issue: John, Margaret, they died infants; Robert, born on Whitsunday 1636, he married Mary, the daughter of Robert Town, in 1662, and died 3rd November, 1702. Mary his wife, died 17th April, 1710, and was buried in the South Chancel of Wakefield Church; Elizabeth, she married Thomas Eastburne; Thomas, Isabella, they died infants; John died unmarried; Thomas died young; John died unmarried; Isabella, Thomas, they died young; Elizabeth married Samuel Liversedge, of Wakefield, and had issue by him a son and three daughters.

Robert Leach, son of said Robert and Mary Leach, married Ellen, the daughter of Thomas Birkhead, of Wakefield, 15th December, 1691, he died 12th June, 1728, and had by her the following issue: a daughter, still-born, 7th November, 1692; Elizabeth, born 26th January, 1693, she married William Cowper, of Wakefield, by whom she had issue.

Mary, born 23rd May, 1695, she married Christopher Hird, of Otley, by whom she had issue: Robert, born 11th July, 1698, and died at nine days old; Robert, born 28th November, 1699, now a bachelor; Ellen, born 8th January, 1700, she married Leonard Exley, by whom she had Richard, born 24th August, 1702, (afterwards vicar of Addingham,) he married

Elizabeth, daughter of Samuel Liversedge, of Wakefield, by whom he had issue: Isabella, born 1st April, 1704; John, born 26th January, 1706, died 3rd March, 1746, a bachelor.

(To be continued.)

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Sir David Radcliffe,

Son of Amos Radcliffe, was born at Netherton, in the parish of Almondbury, in January, 1834, and was baptised at Almondbury Parish Church, on the 30th of March following.

In the registers of the same venerable Church are to be found complete entries relating to the birth, marriage and death of his father Amos, and his grandfather (who married Elizabeth Mallinson in 1771,) great-grandfather (wife's name—Beaumont,) and great-great-grandfather, all named Charles Radcliffe, the last mentioned of these being baptised there in 1712. The registers of the Church so far back as the year 1598 have entries, though mere fragmentary ones, relating to the family of Radcliffe; and their connection with the parish seems to have existed considerably prior to the date named. On the 30th June, 1603, we find the death of "Ratcliff vidue 88 annos nata," and the life so ended covered a period extending through the eventful reigns of Henry VIII., Edward VI, Mary, Elizabeth, and just into that of James I.

Connected with the family at this early date, are to be found the names so well known locally of "Glaiddhill," Wilkinson, Beaumont, Lockwode, and Armitage.

With this family must be connected the pedigree of the Radcliffes of Almondbury, Meltham, Brighouse and Smith House, Lightcliffe, and the tradition exists in each branch of their relationship to the Radcliffes, Earls of Derwentwater. Sir Joseph Radcliffe, of Milnes Bridge, the great Anti-Luddite, represented an offshoot. The local registers and wills, it is hoped, will shortly be searched so as to amplify the pedigree sheet of this ancient family, whose origin was from the Lancashire or Todmorden stock. In the marriage of Sir David's son to Miss Horsfall there is an interesting feature. Mrs. Radcliffe is a daughter of Alfred Horsfall, Esq., nephew of Timothy Horsfall, Esq., of Hawksworth, a branch of Horsfalls, who took their name from, and resided at, Horsfall, near Todmorden, before 1270.

We presented a portrait of Sir David in our last issue, and portraits of him appeared in the London illustrated papers at the time the Queen so spontaneously and unexpectedly knighted him. Her Majesty at the same time gave him the first copy of Angeli's engraved picture of Herself, and Princess Beatrice did



SIR DAVID RADCLIFFE, Knt.

the same. The Queen gave Lady Radcliffe a diamond bracelet as a keepsake. For the first time in the history of Liverpool, since King John's Charter, the office of Mayor was filled two years in succession by one person, viz., Sir David. The *Liverpool Courier* of November 9th, 1886, gave an account of Sir David's Mayoralty. "With the vacating of the civic chair to-day terminates one of the most remarkable and distinguished terms of office that has ever characterised the Mayoralty of the city. After two eventful years, Sir David Radcliffe will have ceased to be Mayor of Liverpool, and remembering the circumstances that have happened during his double term of office his Mayoralty will always be regarded as one of the most noted in local annals. The position of Mayor of Liverpool is in many particulars unique. He has to fulfil functions social, political, and judicial, that the head of no other municipality is called upon to perform. Excepting the metropolis no city in the empire is honoured by so many distinguished visitors as Liverpool. These are almost invariably the guests of the Mayor, who has to entertain men of note, native and foreign, and show them the sights when they come hither. This duty, requiring tact and judgment for its proper discharge, has been worthily performed by Sir David. His hospitality has been liberal, graceful, and judicious, and all the distinguished guests who have honoured the Town-hall with their presence retain pleasant recollections of the gentleman who now retires from the chief magistracy. His hospitalities, during his two years of office, partook in no wise of a class character. No section of the community was overlooked. The nobility, landed proprietors, shipowners, merchants, tradesmen, the artisans, the school children, and poor, all partook of his generous and frequently most timely hospitality.

Almost immediately after he succeeded to the civic chair, Sir David showed that it would not be his fault if his term of office were readily forgotten. On the first of December, 1884, the soirée of the Associated learned Societies was held, and the savants were asked and gladly consented to allow their collection to remain in St. George's-hall. On the night following the Mayor invited to St. George's-hall about 5,000 persons, consisting of members of the artisan class and their wives, to a soirée at the hall. They were there regaled with refreshments and afforded various entertainments. The whole affair proved an immense success and a great gratification to a class hitherto without proper recognition from the chief magistrate. On Christmas-day following, Sir David Radcliffe distributed to deserving poor through the clergy of various denominations 1,000 hot-pots (each sufficient for eight or ten persons,) accompanied with bread and other additions. As it proved, on the following Christmas-day this example was largely followed,

and we anticipate that the custom will not be willingly let die. Should it continue Sir David will no doubt count it amongst the most gratifying of his reminiscences that he was permitted to initiate a custom so entirely charitable and so much in accordance with the traditions of the festival commemorated.

In the early portion of the new year, in response to a circular issued by the Mayor, a large number of gentlemen assembled at the Town-hall for the purpose of considering the advisability of holding in Liverpool an International Exhibition. The holding of the Exhibition was determined on, and the project set on foot. From that date to the close of the Exhibition the labour and anxieties undergone by its chairman have been enormous. In the first place it should always be remembered that the Exhibition was the first great International Exhibition ever held outside London. The experiment was a new one. In the next place the routine labour alone in connection with the initial organization was extremely heavy. Then came the selection of the site and other details involving patience, labour and judgment. Next there were troubles unforeseen and unavoidable to be overcome which would have discouraged many men. But Sir David's courage and determination overcame all these; the gigantic undertaking was brought to a successful termination, and was opened by her Majesty the Queen amid an outburst of enthusiasm and surrounded by a pomp, ceremony, and grandeur never seen before in Lancashire. That historic event is of too recent occurrence, and is too vividly fixed in the recollection of all classes of the community to require recapitulation. Sir David received, in recognition of his great services in connection with the inception of and carrying to completion the Liverpool International Exhibition, at the hands of his sovereign, the honour of knighthood. On all hands the distinction was felt to be a well-merited one, a great honour to its recipient and a compliment to the city over which he so worthily presided.

In other capacities, Sir David's two years of mayoralty will be pleasurablely regarded. To show that it is only necessary to recount some of the interesting events that took place during that period in addition to the Exhibition. On the 12th of January, 1885, Sir David and Lady Radcliffe gave a grand fancy dress ball at the Town-hall. This splendid entertainment was arranged in the most happy way, and those who had the pleasure of being present retain a vivid recollection of the brilliancy of the scene. First of all 400 children were entertained to a ball and supper by the Mayor and Mayoress; and this was followed by an adult ball. The costumes in both instances were magnificent, and the entertainment in every sense a complete and sumptuous one. A grand Masonic ball was also held at the Town-hall on the 8th January, at which

Sir David received the Right Hon. the Earl of Lathom, the grand master of South-west Lancashire (who had his portrait presented to him,) and all the leading members of the craft. The Mayor has entertained members of the Royal Family, H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, the Prince of Battenberg, Princess Beatrice, and other distinguished personages, as also the Earls of Derby and Sefton and other noblemen associated with the neighbourhood. But the most memorable event of course was the visit of her Majesty and the opening of the Exhibition. For the first time, we believe, in history, the Queen was the guest of a Corporation, and for two nights stayed at Newsham-house, which, mainly at the instance of Sir D. Radcliffe, was suitably furnished for the entertainment of the illustrious visitor.

The junction made by means of the Mersey tunnel between the Lancashire and Cheshire sides of the river was completed during Sir David's mayoralty. Meeting midway in this great example of engineering skill, the mayors of Liverpool and Birkenhead—the two municipalities most interested in the scheme—shook hands and exchanged mutual congratulations on the successful termination of this vast undertaking. The formal opening by the Prince of Wales, when his Royal Highness was entertained by the mayor, took place under the most brilliant circumstances.

A very interesting event happened on the 23rd of April, 1885, when the silver wedding of the mayor was celebrated, and a suitable presentation took place at the Town-hall. On the same day the marriage of his son, Mr. F. M. Radcliffe, to Miss Horsfall was celebrated at Formby. The retiring mayor's public work has been of the most continuous and varied description. He has presided at bazaars, soirées, and at public entertainments, and his ready assistance and generous patronage have never been denied to any deserving object. But it is chiefly in connection with the working classes that Sir David's official career will be best remembered. His entertainments to them were as happily conceived as they were most generously and unostentatiously carried out. Without the smallest appearance of patronage, Sir David received as his guests thousands of artisans of the city. Although this was disinterestedly done, and without popularity seeking, it has given rise to a feeling of gratitude on the part of a class who have hitherto been neglected in municipal entertainments, but who fully appreciate such a distinction when it is conferred upon them. Sir David's worthy example in this respect will no doubt be taken up by the gentlemen who may follow him in the distinguished office he now vacates.

In connection with his entertainments to the artisans, one of the most memorable was the "At Home" which was given

on October 3rd, by Sir David at the Library, Museum, and Art Gallery of the city to about 5,000 artisans, representing 300 firms and 50,000 workingmen. Concerts and other entertainments were provided, and the whole was one of the most pleasant as well as the most novel entertainments ever held in the city. The completion of the Stanley Hospital, a most desirable medical institution, is due in a great measure to Sir David's co-operation, for two new wings were added at a cost of £3,000, collected by him. He also has taken a deep interest in the Saturday Hospital movement. He attended upwards of 40 meetings, and placed himself entirely at the disposal of the workingmen, with a view of encouraging them in this most desirable charity. The Hospital Saturday Fund has been largely augmented, and this increase may be in a great measure traced to the active encouragement which Sir David Radcliffe gave to it. As a souvenir of his mayoralty a presentation of the Mayoress' badge, containing a portrait of her Majesty, will be held in high esteem by the ladies whose lot it may be to succeed Lady Radcliffe in the position of Mayoress. With the different corporate officials the Mayor has always worked most amicably, and he has ever been ready to give his time and great practical knowledge to the promotion of any work which would advance the interests of the city. As a politician Sir David has always been an active and consistent member of the Conservative party. But during his term of office he has acted with an impartialty that has won for him the respect of men of all parties. In no sense has he allowed his personal or political opinions to interfere with the discharge of his duties as the chief magistrate. His remark was, 'I am Mayor of Liverpool, and as such will know no party,' and this policy he has invariably pursued."

Arms:—Gules a Bend engrailed Or, gutte de sang, between four roses, two and two, saltirewise, Argent, stalked, leaved and slipped proper. And for a crest on a wreath of the colours out of the battlements of a tower proper a Bull's head sable, armed and gorged with a collar gemel Or, in the mouth a Rose gules, stalked, leaved and slipped proper. Motto—"No thorn & no rose."

FRANCES PECKETT. RICHARDSON.—The late Mr. Swift, of Sheffield, a local antiquarian and genealogist, amongst other information relating to Christopher Richardson, the Puritan Rector of Kirkheaton, sent me the following derived from one of several documents which had been lent to him by some family (resident as I suppose at Sheffield,) and probably connected with Edward Prime, one of the "ejected" of Sheffield, and one of whose daughters became the second wife of the Rector of Kirkheaton.

"1 July, 1658." Release from Thomas Richardson, of Creeton (*now* Creating,) County Suffolk, to Christopher Richardson, of Kirkheaton, Clerk, and John Richardson of Sheriff Hutton, Husbandman, Executors of the last will and testament of Frances Peckett, late of Sheriff Hutton, widow, deceased.

I can find no trace of this will being proved either in London or York; as the will would probably give some particulars of the respective parties I shall feel much obliged if any person having possession of the document will kindly communicate with me.

I shall also be glad to hear from the family who lent a variety of family documents relating to Christopher Richardson to the late Mr. Swift, of Sheffield.

I notice that upon the confirmation of Christopher Richardson in the living of Kirkheaton, after the death of Richard Sykes, (who had been ejected by the parliament) by Thomas Wentworth, the patron, one of the witnesses to the document was John Peckett, probably Alderman Peckett, of York. I am also told that there was a Mr. Peckett of York, who was famous for his stained glass windows.

JOHN RICHARDSON, Ravensfell, Bromley, Kent.

JEFFREY RICHARDSON was born in *some* town in Yorkshire, England, about 1698; was a brewer; came to Boston in 1720. Will you put me on the right road to find this out. If it is the commencement of the road, I shall plod on, much pleased with what helps me along. GEO. H. RICHARDSON, NEWPORT, R.I.

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BODGE.—In Marshall's Genealogical Notes pp. 5 and 252, I find mention of Wm. and Thomas Boge as of the parish of Medilthorpe in Yorkshire, and I am very anxious to know if any of the name still survive in Yorkshire. Henry Bodge and wife Elizabeth were living in Kittery, in the province of Maine, from 1673 to 1685. Henry was a shipwright.

I have been unable hitherto to connect this Henry, who is my ancestor in the seventh generation, with any in England; in fact I have never been able to find any reference to the name *Bodge* in any English book. The name was spelled by this Henry, and invariably by his descendants, Bodge.

Can any one give me any information regarding the name?

G. M. BODGE.

E. Boston, Mass., U.S.A.

[The name Bogue, we have met with in Yorkshire, but never Bodge. Is Boge a misprint for Boye in Dr. Marshall's Notes?

Capt. Wm. Turner (second query,) was probably one of the Turners of S.W. England, and no way related to Yorkshire.]

MANSELL, OF LEEDS, &c.—Joseph Mansell, of Leeds, married Miss Cope or Cape, Bunhill Row; (*vide* Gentleman's Mag. 1770). How was he related to W. W. Mansell, who wrote in 1850 a '*History of Maunsell, Mansell, or Mansel?*'

Can anyone oblige me with particulars of the descent of either of these Mansells?

TUTA QUIA DIFFIDENS.

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Hanson Pedigree.—*Continued from p. 91.*

In our copy of the Hanson Arms from the old parchment pedigree we gave the colouring of the cap of maintenance as *ermine*, whereas the grant by Norroy, King of Arms in 1658, and borne by the whole family since is *argent*, and *mantled gules*, *doubled argent*.

On page 91 we broke off with the Norwood Green branch, and for two or three generations up to Edward Hanson of Wyke, or John Hanson of Mixenden (b. 1647), mentioned in O. Heywood's *Northowram Register*, we require further researches to come to a decided statement as to whether the Joshua Hanson who married Grace Iles, widow, was son of one or the other. From this time all is clear. Edward, elder son of John, of Norwood Green (p. 91), is given in Mr. Joseph Hanson's pedigree, as father of Edward Hanson of Wyke and of John, of Mixenden, whose son Joshua was bap. Feb. 16, 1683. Whether he (or a Joshua son of Edward, of Wyke,) married Grace Iles, is disputed. The husband of Grace Iles is described as of Brackenfoot in Kirby Overblow, and Woodside in High Fernley. On the 18th of August, 1723, he married Grace Iles, widow, (p. 218, *Northowram Register*). She was probably Grace Mallory, of (East) Keswick, and mar. Iles, about 1718, as John Iles, born June 25th, 1714, is entered in the Hanson family bible.

Joshua and Grace Hanson had issue:—

Grace, b. 1724, at Brackenfoot; married twice, first husband, —Wright, issue two sons William and James. William mar. Elizabeth Hanson, his first cousin, and had two sons William and James Wright.

Samuel, b. 1726, Rachel, b. 1728, Fanny, b. 1731, mar. — Bentley, and Joseph, b. 1734.

Samuel, the eldest son of Joshua, died 1798, m. Ann Sharp, of Laurence Waltham, Berks, b. 1726, died 1774; issue (1) William b. 1749, d. 1750; (2) Ann, b. and d. 1750; (3) John, b. 1751, d. 1752; (4) SAMUEL, b. 1752; (5) James, b. 1753, d. s. p.; (6) Elizabeth Ann, b. 1755, d. 1760; (7) FRANCIS, b. 1756; (8) Edward, b. 1758, (father of James, b. 1791, d. 1877; Charlotte, b. 1793, d. 1879, Edward, b. 1795, d. 1879,) (9) Harriet, b. 1760, d. s. p., mar. Rev. — Butler, of Inkpen, Newbury; (10) Charlotte, b. 1761, mar. John Robbins; (11) Rachel, b. 1764,

d. 1765; and (12) John Mieklem, b. 1767, father of Mary (mar. C. Grant), Fanny (mar. Dr. Langmore, Finsbury Square, London.), Thomas and John.

Of the 4th and 7th children, we give pedigrees of their descendants.

SAMUEL, born 1752, mar. (1802) Ann, d. John Hundells, Cornhill; issue—Ann Butler, b. 1806, d. 1808, Sarah Ann, b. 1810, d. unmarried, 1861; Henry Edward, b. 1814, d. unmar. 1864; Samuel, b. 1804, d. at Zurich, 1882, mar. (1) in 1832, Mary C., dau. N.S. Machin, Esq., of Bishop Stortford, d. 1867; mar. (2) Margaret D'Aubney. The issue by the first wife are—Mary, b. 1833, d. 1859, having married the Rev. C. J. Bird, and leaving two children, Ashley and Oswald; Kate, b. 1834; Bertha Hesketh, b. 1837, d. 1854, bur. at Ashsted, Surrey; Hesketh, b. 1839, mar. Jane Anna, dau. coh. James Johnston, Esq., Hampstead Manor Hall, and has issue—Mary Beatrice, 1863, Wilfrid Julius, 1864, Anna Rosalind, 1866, Mary Machin, 1867, Gertrude Mary, 1869, Reginald John Edward, 1870, Mary Frances Anna, 1872, Oswald Hesketh, 1873, Herbert James, 1875; (Sir) Reginald, b. 1840, M.A., Trin. Coll. Camb., Alderman of Billingsgate, Sheriff, 1881-2, Knighted by the Queen on her visit to Epping Forest to declare it free to the public, the present Lord Mayor of London, mar. in 1866 Constance H. dau. coh. Charles Bentley Bingley, Esq., Stanhope Park, Middlesex, issue—Gerald Stanhope, 1867, Francis Stanhope, 1868, Maud Constance, 1870, Cyril Stanhope, 1871, d. 1871, Violet Mabel, 1878; Oswald, b. 1841, d. 1842; Edith, b. 1843, mar. W. B. Cheales, Esq.; and Gertrude, b. 1847.

FRANCIS, seventh child of Samuel and Ann Hanson, b. 1756, mar. Martha Peele, died 1810, after which he married again and settled in France. The children of Francis and Martha were—Ann, 1779, mar. John Austin, of Cowley, issue—Ann, 1806, d. 1876, Mary, 1807, mar. John Warne, John, mar.—Stevens, Martha mar.—Hance; Samuel, 1783, d. 1803; Martha, 1787, mar. Rev. Thomas Roy, Woburn, and their son, Rev. John Wriothesley Russell Roy, died s.p. 1864; Joshua Fletcher, 1782, d. 1847, mar. Nancy Swaine, issue—(1) Mary, b. 1813, mar. George Jendwine, Linc. Inn, barrister, whose children are—Rev. George Wynne J., 1849, Vicar of Upton Gray, Hants; Mary; John Wynne J., Lincoln Inn, barrister; (2) Alfred, b. 1816, of Middle Temple, Comptroller of Legacy Duty Office, Somerset House, mar. Frances Harriot dau. Rev. John Clarke, Vicar of Clayhidon, Devon, (see Duntze, Burke's *Peerage*), d. 6 Jan., 1886; issue—Frances Duntze, 1849, mar. T. N. Laurence, Linc. Inn; Alfred William, b. 1850; Harriet Clarke, 1852, mar. Bernard s. Rev. John Gibson, Vicar of Ferneaux Pelham; John Clarke, 1854, LL.B., Cambridge; (3)

Theodosia, b. 1818; (4) Cyrus, b. 1819, married Mary Hare, but died s. p. 1877; (5) Stephen, b. 1825, Caius Coll., Cambridge, Rector of Weeting, Norfolk, mar. Catharine Harman, issue—Edward, B., 1858; John, d. 1884, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.; Rose; Arthur.

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EDWARD HANSON, of Wyke, brother of John H., of Mixenden, was father of Joshua, (his *fourth* son,) one of the two Joshuas recorded as marrying Grace Iles. Edward's *eldest* son was John Hanson, of Wyke, bap. May 27, 1684, married Feb. 28, 1717, Sarah, dau. William Hanson, of Arthington and Osmundthorpe, by his wife, Grace. The issue of John and Sarah were—Grace, d. 1723; Edward, of Hackney, b. 1724, mar. his first cousin Sarah d. Edward Hanson, of Okenshaw; John, b. 1727; Wm. b. 1728, *see below*; Sarah, b. 1731, mar.—Nicklin, and their dau. Ann mar. Rev.—Cappe; Benjamin, b. 1734, *see postea*; Rachel, bap. 1737, mar.—Clarke, d. s.p. William, above, b. 1728, of Manchester, was buried at Sland, Pilkington, in 1798, having married (1) Elizabeth—, d. 1769, aged 32, and (2) Mary —, d. 1822, aged 72. The issue of the first wife were—Sarah, mar.—Kershaw, of Halifax, (and had Martha, Mary, William, Sarah, Joseph,) and (2) J. Denison, of Manchester, (and had one son, Edward Hanson Denison, of Sunbury); Joseph, b. about 1774, d. s.p. 1811. He resided at Strangeways Hall, Manchester, Col. of Manchester Volunteers. "The Weavers' Friend;" a portrait medal was struck in 1810 to his honour, 39,600 subscribers. (Howell's State Trials, xxxi.); Edward; Mary; Jane, mar.—Colquhoun, of Dumfries, issue, two sons, three daughters.

The issue of William H., of Manchester, by the second wife, —James, 1784, d. 1787; Elizabeth, 1787, d. 1787, and William, 1778, d. 1791.

BENJAMIN, b. 1734, brother of William H. of Manchester, mar.—Laurence (d. 1810)? of Walthamstow, had issue, Mary, Sarah, Joseph, John, Edward, Benjamin, Joseph, Joseph, Elizabeth; two of these married, viz.:—John and Benjamin. John was thrice married (1) to Mary Marriott, Northampton, (2) Mary Coney, (3) Mary Hudson in 1804. The first wife bore him—Eliza, b. 1793, d. 1824, mar. in 1822 the Rev. James Pinkerton who d. 1835, aged 44, and their daughter Elizabeth H. P., b. 1824, mar.—Redden; Mary, b. 1796, d. 1865, mar. in 1820 Wright Stuckberry, issue, Ann, 1821, Mary, 1824, d. 1825, Eliza, 1826, d. 1860, Thomas, 1830, d. 1857; John, b. 1798, d. s.p. 1823; a daughter, died at school. The second wife bore him a son Benjamin, d. at age of 21. The third wife had Sarah, b. 1805, mar. in 1830 John Mee, issue, Mary, John, Rachel, George; Rachel, b. 1807, mar. in 1830 Joseph Mee, had Hanson, Sarah, Ellen; George Lawrence, b. 1809, mar. Louisa Emberton Malin, son George emigrated to America; Jane, d. infancy.

Benjamin, before-named, son of Benjamin, was born in 1772, died, 1836, having married Elizabeth Davies, b. 1782, d. 1853, issue—(1) Benjamin, b. 1803, mar. in 1832, Lauretta, d. Charles Plater, (issue, Benjamin, b. 1833, d. s.p. 1863; Lauretta, b. 1835, mar. Fredk. Young; Vincent, b. 1838, of Adelaide, S.A.; Elizabeth, b. 1840, d. 1881; Richard Davies, b. 1842, d. 1843; Violetta, b. 1843.); (2) *Sir* Richard Davies H., b. 1805, Chief Justice of Australia, Knighted by the Queen, 1869, d. 1876, mar. in 1851, Annie Scanlon, (issue, Sarah Elizabeth, 1853, mar. in 1876 Eastace B. Grundy; Richard Davies, 1855; Alice Maud Amy, 1857; Ellen Caroline, 1859; Laurence William, 1863, d. 1875; Edith Annie, 1865.); (3) Elizabeth, b. 1807, d. 1858; (4) Joseph Lawrence, b. 1808, d. in Australia in 1870, twice married, leaving issue by his first wife, Ruth Lavington; (5) William, Civil Eng., b. 1810, mar. in Australia, 1847, Annie Colvin, issue, William Colvin H., and Marion, wife of Charles Tennant; (6) Edward died, 1872, mar. first, in 1841, Eliza Penn Nicholson, issue,—*Edward*, 1842, mar. 1871, Caroline Anne d. Rev. John Offord; *Sophia*, 1844, d. 1865; *Alfred Penn*, d. 1848; *Laurence Ford*, b. 1849, d. s.p. at Kimberley, S. Africa, 1882; *Ernest John*, b. 1853, d. 1877. The second wife, Catalina King, whose mother was a Chilian, bore to Edward H., senior, Catalina, 1866, Margarita, 1869, Kenneth Edward, 1871; (7) Sarah Mary, 1815, d. 1882; (8) Ellen, b. 1817, mar. in 1845 Thomas Sadler Reed, and has issue, Hanson, Risdon, and Walter; (9) Caroline, b. 1820, d. 1886, mar. in 1848 Robert Forman, d. 1886.

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EDWARD HANSON'S *second* son was Joseph H., of Oxheys, Hipperholme, afterwards of High Fernley, the father of eight children:

1. Joseph, bap. 1720, killed, 1731, by a horse at Wadehouse, Shelf.
2. Edward, bap. 1722.
3. Susannah, bap. 1724, bur. 1742, at Northowram.
4. John, bap. 1726, bur. 1727, at Coley.
5. James, bap. 1728.
6. Joshua, bap. at High Fernley, Feb. 19, bur. at Coley, Ap. 23, following, 1730.
7. Samuel, bap. at High Fernley, July 12, 1732.
8. William, bap. 1734, buried 1735.

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EDWARD HANSON'S *third* son was Edward H., of Okenshaw, Wyke, bap. July 26, 1690, mar. May 6, 1714, Martha d. Joshua Stansfield, of Horton, Esq., issue — *Edward*, b. 1714, Naval Officer, d. s.p. at sea; *Sarah*, b. 1718, mar. her cousin Edward H., of Hackney; *Joshua*, bap. Mch. 17, 1720, and *John*, the

second son, b. 1716, d. 1801, mar. Catherine Matthews, d. 1807, aged 88. Their portraits are in the possession of their great grandson Wm. Day H. The issue of John and Catherine were—Robert, 1744, Sarah, 1745, Elizabeth, 1748, mar. William Wright, her first cousin, Edward, d. inf., Robert, b. 1755, Sarah, b. 1757, mar. —Seymour, America, & John, b. 1752, d. 1841, mar. Mary, dau. Conrad Abben, (a Hanoverian,) b. 1752, d. 1837. He resided at Lower Mall, Hammersmith, J.P. for Middlesex, family tomb near Fulham Church Tower. The portraits of John and Mary Hanson are in the possession of their grandson Joseph H.

Of their family we must now treat.

A. George, Sarah, Ann, Elizabeth, Edward, and Thomas died in infancy.

B. Benjamin, b. 1781, d. 1845, mar. in 1812, Mary Brookes, b. 1791, d. 1866; issue—(1) Mary Ann, 1813, d. 1866; (2) Emma Elizabeth, 1814; (3) Ellen Louisa, 1816; (4) Conrad Abben, 1817, d. 1869, Civil Engineer, mar. in 1847, Louisa S. Batkin, and has issue (a) Charles Rastrick Hanson, C.E., born 1850, mar. at Columbo in 1883, Margaret, dau. of John Kyle, C.E., of Glasgow and Ceylon. (b) Julia Constance, b. 1852, married in 1870 Robert C. Harrott. (c) Conrad Wild, 1853, mar. in 1881 Janet Lucy, dau. James Fraser. (d) Mabel Isabel 1855, mar. in 1875 Joseph William Wilson. (e) Mary Louisa, 1857, mar. in 1881 Sidney G. Marshall. (f) Annie Florence, 1859. (g) Harry Wallis, 1869.

—(5) Henry, b. 1819, d. s.p. (6) Isabella, 1821, mar. Girtou. (7) Luey Jane, 1824. (8) Octavia Sophia, 1826, mar. —Johnson. (9) Juliana, 1828, mar. Edw. Alf. Cowper, C.E. (10) Joseph Decimus, 1832, of Oakdale Park, Turtle Mt., Manitoba; mar. in 1856 Henrietta Winefrede C. Seoles, and has issue John Rastrick, Charles Ignatius Lueien, Robert Stanley, George Augustus and three daughters.

C. John, mar. Sarah Hoby, who died in 1814, aged 31; issue, (1) John, 1804, d. 1809. (2) Sarah, 1807, d. 1875. (3) Charles, b. 1809, a doctor in America, whose son, Charles Elliot, H., of Aurora, Illinois, (born at Ontario,) married M. M. Wagner. (4) Emily, 1811, d. 1829. (5) Mary, 1813, married Rev. Alex. Wylie, Shanghai, he d. 6 Feb., 1887, whose daughter Mary was born in 1849.

D. Joseph, b. 1784, d. 1861, at Edinburgh, buried at Norwood, London, mar. in 1809, Margaret, only d. and h. of William Day, Esq., Hammersmith. She died at her son Joseph's, Rastrick House, Clapham, 1864. Their issue is—(1) Margaret Day, b. and d. 1810. (2) Margaret Day, b. 1812, married in 1834, Thomas son of William B. Gurney, Esq., Government Shorthand Writer, issue—John Howard, Margaret

Hanson, mar. Wm. Masterman, Edith Harriet, mar. John Dixon, M.D., and Arthur Frederick mar. Rhoda, dau. Admiral Broughton. (3) Louisa Abben, b. 1815. (4) Joseph, b. 1816, d. 1818. (5) Amelia, b. 1818, mar. Joseph Tritton, banker, issue—Joseph Herbert, 1844, mar. Lucy Jane, dau. of W. Abel Smith, Esq.; Charles Ernest, 1845, mar. Edith, dau. of Fredk. Green, Esq.; Annette Amelia, 1847, mar. Wm. Leatham, s. J. Gurney Barclay, Esq.; Jessie Margaret, 1857; Ethel Harriet, 1858, d. 1885. (6) Harriet, b. 1820, mar. Rev. Zachary Nash, Langley, Bucks., M.A., Camb. (7) William Day Hanson, b. 1822, of Bowden Derra, Launceston, J.P. for Cornwall, mar. in 1849, Margaret Mary only child of H. Hocken, Esq., issue—Margaret Mary, 1850, d. 1862, William Everard Henry, 1851, d. 1852, Annie Florence, 1852, William Hubert Henry, 1853, Solr., mar. Emma Louisa Frances, dau. Maj. Gen. Romer, R.A., Alice Isabel, 1854, Reginald Edward, 1856, Harriet Nash, 1857, d. 1863, Edgar Rastricke, 1858, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Ed. Arthur Trevivian, 1860, Rosalie Guendolen, 1861, Alfred, (M.R.C.S.) and Wilfred, 1862, the latter died same year, Wilfred Rastricke, 1865, Conrad Ernest, 1866, d. 1880. (8) Joseph Hanson, b. 1824, d. 1878, mar. in 1847 Catherine dau. Edward Baldock, Esq., issue—Kate Mary, 1849, Henry Rastrick, 1850, B.A., Eleanor, 1851, mar. Rev. Thos. Ll. Edwards, Beatrice, 1853, Clara, 1854, d. 1858, Ada Dorville, 1855, d. 1859, Norah, 1858, Eric Dorville, 1860, Adeline Harriet, 1862, and Robert Edward Vernon, 1866. (9) Anna Maria, b. 1827, mar. Rev. Wm. Pulsford, D.D., Glasgow.

E. Mary, b. 1786, mar. John Cooper, a son died in infancy.

F. Eliza, mar. Wm. Budden.

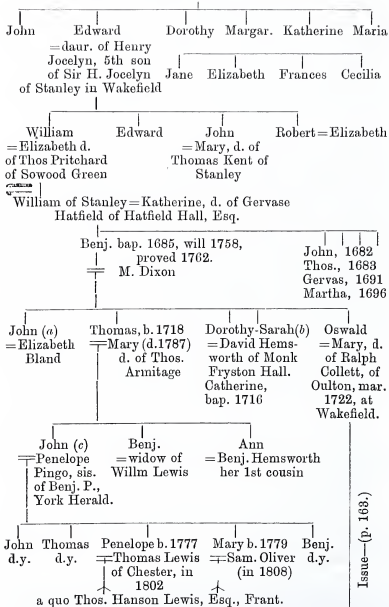
G. William, b. 1790, M.A., of Cambridge, Curate of St. George, Botolph Lane, married Eliza Wood, died 1880, s.p.

Edward Hanson's *fifth* son was Samuel, Minister at Ossett, married Feb. 1, 1727, Mrs. Mary Jepson, sister-in-law to the Rev. J. Dickenson. She had a daughter Mary, b. 1728, married — Taylor. (See "Nonconformist Register," ed. by J. Horsfall Turner.)

Edward Hanson's *sixth* son was James, of Woodside, Wyke, bap. Sep. 16, 1699, mar. Dec. 17, 1729, Ann, dau. John and Hannah Wood, of Bramley, and had issue—John, b. 1780, Mary and Judith, twins, 1732.

Edward Hanson's daughter was Sarah, who married, Jan. 3, 1717, John Williamson of Cleckheaton, and had a son and three daughters; she afterwards married Jonathan Vicars, of Halifax, Dec. 13, 1725.

* Edward Hanson $\overline{\text{---}}$ Jane Beaumont †



* 13th in descent from Roger de Rastrick, 1251.

† See Yorkshire Notes, p. 91 Genealogist Part, eighth line from top of page.

Issue—(p. 163.)

Katherine (d)	Mary (e)	Martha	Ralph (f)	Hannah	Anne
=3rd Earl of	=W.	John,	=Martha	1736.-1792.ob.s.p.	
Aberdeen	Dawson	s.p.	Proctor	Elizth.	1808

Katherine of Thorp, Lofthouse, and East Ardsley,
bap. at Halifax, 1774

— Benj. Dealtry, J.P., Cambridge.

Catherine and Dinah, both died s.p. in 1879.

(a) John Hanson, bap. 1714, of High Holborn, London, merchant, died Aug. 24, 1770, will proved Aug. 29th. (His wife, dau. of Thos. Bland, of Halifax, died Dec. 6, 1762, aged 27, ob. s. p.) He leaves to John Hanson, his nephew, the family estates at Stanley and elsewhere, and appoints, as executors of his will, Mr. Robert Saltonstall, John Smyth, of Heath, and John Hanson, his nephew.

(b) Dorothy Sarah, d. 1767. Benjamin Hemsworth, her son, married a daughter of Thomas Hanson.

(c) John, bap. 1749, of Stanley, near Wakefield, and London, merchant. He married Penelope, dau. of Thos. Pingo, artist, in 1773, at St. Andrews, Holborn.

(d) Died at Rudding Park, Yorks, 1817, aged 85.

(e) Born 1734, d. 1785; issue—William Dawson, an officer in the army, ob. s. p., and Ralph, who left issue.

(f) Capt. Ralph (19th Regt. of Foot) bap. 1747, d. at Ripley, 1815, mar. (1) Martha, sister of the Countess of Effingham, the dau. of Medcalf Proctor, of Thorp-on-Hill. He mar. (2) Susannah, dau. John Hatfield, sister of John Hatfield-Kaye, the bro. in law of the last Earl of Strafford. She d. 1812, aged 69.

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CLARKSONS OF BRADFORD.—At the time of the Rev. William Clarkson's death (1660) the papers of administration recite the names of three children only,—Sarah, Martha and Hannah, and it has been supposed they were the issue by his second wife, Frances Maud of Bierley.

I know that in some of the early printed records (e.g. Whitaker,) it is said that Elizabeth Sharp, his first wife, left no issue. I am inclined, however, to think that she had, at least, three children, Robert, Mary and Esther, and the following are my reasons for thinking so:—

Extract from Heywood's Diaries, Vol. I, p. 294. Jan. 6, 1672-3.

"I went to the funeral of Ester Clarkson to Bradford,—her father was minister of Addle."

Extract from letter to William Clarkson of New York, from Mr. Edward Hailstone, dated Horton Hall, Bradford, May 20, 1856.

"In a sort of scrap book, the Rev. Thomas Sharp speaks of certain legacies given by his father (John Sharp*), mentioning the names of Mary and Esther Clarkson, and a legacy of £24 15s. 0d. to Robert Clarkson—and in a memo. "of trees in unkle D. Clarkson's wood at Idle, taken Jan. 21, 1675." I have also a copy of a deed from Robert C., citizen and draper of London, to Stansfield.

Unless we assume that the Rev. William Clarkson had a son Robert, then Robert of Chelsea, London, had an *only* nephew, Robert, a son of the Rev. David Clarkson of London,—but this Robert could not have been more than 25, when his uncle Robert died in 1695-6, an age almost too immature to have the care of a large property. If the Rev. William Clarkson had a son Robert, he must have been, at least, 45, when his uncle Robert died in London.

Again,—the widow of the Rev. David Clarkson instituted a suit (1706) against Robert, the Executor of his uncle Robert's will. It is more reasonable to think that the widow would engage in legal proceedings against her nephew than against her son.

Of the three names referred to above, Robert, Mary and Esther, I assume Mary to be the same person whose name occurs in the pedigree of the Stansfields, printed in James' History of Bradford, at the end of the 2 Vol., p. xxii. Mary called two of her children Robert and David, probably after her two uncles in London. These names do not occur among the generations of the Stansfields.

I am also of the opinion that Robert Clarkson, of Chelsea, London, was Lord of the Manor of Idle, and that his nephew, Robert Clarkson, his executor, sold the Manorial Rights to Sir Walter Calverley in 1714 (after his uncle's death,) for £700. My reasons are as follows: In Sir Walter Calverley's Memo. Book, in the British Museum, is this note—

"1714—When Mr. Thompson went away I desired him to see if he could prevail with Mr. Clarkson, who was Lord of the Mannour of Idle, to give me lieve to inclose some part of the comon for the use of the Chapell at Idle. Sometime after he writ me word he had been with him and he told him that he was bargaining with his cozen, Robert Stansfield for it. There was to be a proviso that if his father did not approve, it was to

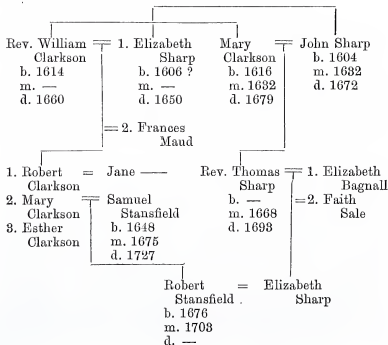
* John Sharp married Mary, a sister of the Rev. William Clarkson and thus would have been the uncle of Robert, Mary and Esther. The Robert Clarkson, Citizen and Draper of London, was also an Alderman of that city and was a brother of the Rev. William Clarkson. He left a large property—his personal estate alone was estimated at £30,000 or £40,000. He made his nephew, Robert Clarkson, his Executor.

be void. He writ to his uncle Clarkson to let him know that his father would not stand to the bargain, etc. Sir Walter Calverley then purchased the Manorial Rights for £700. So the writing was signed by Mr. Robert Clarkson and his wife, Mrs. Jane Clarkson, on the 11th Day of January, 1714. Mr. Stansfield was concerned at the missing of it, he offered his uncle £100 more to break the bargain."

Notes of Fines, Co. York, Hilary, 1, Geo. I. No. 186.

"Walter Calverley, Bart., plaintiff; Robert Clarkson and Jane, his wife, defendants, of the Manor of Idle, also of 3 messuages, 2 cottages, 2 tofts, 1 fulling mill, 3 barns, 3 gardens, 3 orchards, 5 acr. land, 2 acr. meadow, 3 acr. pasture, 2 acr. wood, 20 acr. moor, and £25 rent, in Idle, Thorpe, Wrose and Windell alias Windhill. Robert and Jane grant and warrant for selves and heirs of Robert and receive £700 for the concession."

If, as I have assumed above, Robert, the Executor of his uncle Robert, of Chelsea, London, was the son of the Rev. William Clarkson of Addle, you will notice by the annexed pedigree, that said Robert could have been the uncle as well as the cousin (by marriage) of Robert Stansfield.



Robert Clarkson b. 1617 m. — d. 1695-6	=	Hannah (<i>now</i> the wife) "my sister Elizabeth Taylor." R. C's will.	Sir Ralph Knight a.d.c to Gen. Monk
<p>"Of little Chelsea, in the parish of Kensington, in the Co. of Middlesex, Esq." Alderman of London. Lord of Manor of Idle.</p> <p>1. Samewel } buried at Crayford, Clarkson } Kent, Apl. 29, 1653.</p> <p>2. Samwell } See R. C's will. Clarkson }</p> <p>3. Margaret = Benjamin Clarkson Dryden.</p>			
4. Mary Clarkson	=	John Knight b. 1648 m. — d. 1695 of Langold, Yorkshire.	Hester = John Clarkson, Knight Esq., of Kirton, son of William* Clarkson and Eliza Williamson

Hannah Knight = Thomas Stones
m. 1708

Robert Clarkson, of Little Chelsea, about the year 1666 was in trade in London with Saml. Howard, Mercer.

I have lately discovered the will of Robert, brother of the Revs. William and David Clarkson. He was an Alderman of London, and I am inclined to think also the Lord of the Manor of Idle.

N. Y.

BOWER.—John Keresforth of Keresforth, mar. a dau. of — Bosoile. Their son John married — Barker; their son Robert married — Warde, and had two children—Gabriel, and Grace, the wife of Robert Bower of Barnsley, whose son Robert Bower, of Barnsley, died 1659, the father of Nathaniel (aged 18 in 1665,) and Joshua. Cawthorne Registers give:—William s. Robt. B., bap. 1678. Nathaniel Bower (father's name omitted) bap. 1678. John s. Robt., bap. 1704. George s. Robt., bap. 1707. John s. Nathaniel, bap. 1714. Nathaniel s. Nathaniel, bap. 1717. Jonas Bower's children bap. 1748-61.

* Probably the same William whose tombstone is in the Church at Kirton, Notts. ("Clarksons of New York," Vol. I., 14.)

John s. Nathaniel, bap. 1755. Jonas s. Nath., bap. 1763. William s. Nath., bap. July 20, 1766. Francis s. Jonas, bap. 1767. John s. Nath., bap. 1776. The last John was father of John Bower, d. s. p., and Elizabeth.

The same names occur frequently in Bradford Registers; can you connect the line with Dugdale's record, as given above.

J.D.H.

SQUIRE.—Drake's *Eboracum*, p. 342, records the inscription on the monument of Robert Squire, in St. Michael Belfrays, York. He was M.P. with William Thompson for Scarborough, 1705, and he rebuilt the treasurer's house at Cathedral Close, York. His arms are given as Impaling 1. Sa. Three swans' necks arg. for Squire. 2. Arg. on a chevron inter 3 heads erased sa. 3 mullets or. *Bower*. An escutcheon of pretence of the second. He was the fifth son of William Squire, and was born at Uskelf Manor in 1648. In the "Life of Marmaduke Rawdon," p. 17, a Marmaduke Squire, the son of a Yorkshire gentleman, was sent to the Canary Islands to be Mr. Rawdon's assistant, and the editor adds "he was probably a member of the gentilitial family of Squire then seated at Ulleskelf."

Any particulars relative to the family of Squire, settled at Ulleskelf about 1637, will be gratefully received by J. T. Squire, 33, Birdhurst Road, Wandsworth, S.W.

[The Editor has reason to think, see *Ilkley Ancient and Modern*, that the Swires are the same family. See Pedigree of Swire in Whitaker's *Craven*.]

GUILD and GUILLE.—Any information in regard to these families in England will be appreciated. Charles Burleigh, Secty. the Genealogical Society, Portland, Maine, U.S.A.

[Not known in Yorkshire. Gill is an old Yorkshire name. Ed.]

SHEPARD, PIERSON, BOYCE.—I. Margaret Stouterville m. Rev. Thomas Shepard or Shepherd, of Cambridge, Mass., and I am anxious to gather information relating to Shepards in general. Then, too, I am inclined to think that II. Rev. Abraham Pierson, father of the first rector of Yale College, was b. in the vicinity of Bradford, as notes in my possession of extracts from Bradford Parish Registers, contain the name of Abraham Pearson three times. I suppose the spelling does not signify. These Pearsons were of Thornton, Bradford and Wibsey, 1605-1611. Rev. Abraham Pierson must have been b. about 1613. He was, I think, a Grad. of Cambridge. III. Rev. Peter Prudden, of Milford, Conn., U.S.A., m. Joanna

Boyce,* who was one of four coh's of property at Edgton, Co. York. They came over about 1640. I write these items hoping that they may fall into the hands of some one interested in them enough to give further information. It is becoming more and more desirable to establish clearly the pedigrees of our English ancestors, as family history among Americans is rapidly gaining a pre-eminent position among the better classes.

E. N. SHEPPARD.

[Pearsons are numerous in Bradford and Halifax Registers. Around Whitby are families who retain the older spelling Pierson.]

WARD.—Among the graves in one of the churchyards of the parish of Wandsworth in the county of Surrey, known variously as "Mount Nod," or "The Huguenots' Cemetery," or "The French Churchyard," is a vault with the following inscription:

TOP.—Armorial bearings: Party per pale; dexter a cross flory, for WARD; sinister, two fesses, with three escallops in chief, for ERRINGTON. Crest: An antelope's head erased.

SOUTH SIDE.—In the vault under this stone are deposited | the Remains of Errington | second son of Geo. Ward, Esq., | of this Parish, by Mary his wife | daughter of John Errington of Preston | in the County [of] Northumberland, Gentm., | who died ye 26th day of Nov., 1769, Aged 8 years. |

EAST END.—Here lyeth the Body of | Hannah, Daughter of Wm. Ward of London, | Merchant, by Margaret his | wife daughter of John Luiskill of Whitby | in the County of York, Gentm. | She died ye 28th day of May, 1777, | Aged 19 years.

WEST END.—Here lyeth the Body of | Mary, wife of George Ward, | Esq., who Departed this Life | the 4th day of October, 1780, | Aged 51 years. |

NORTH SIDE.—Here lyeth the Body of | George Ward,† Esq., of this Parish | Eldest son of Robert Ward of Whitby | in the County of York, Merchant, | who departed this life the 7th day of Sept., 1777. | Aged 49 years.

* Extract from Mrs. Joanna [Boyce] Prudden's will, probated at New-Haven, Conn., U.S.A., 1681.

"Mrs. Joanna Bishop sometimes Prudden, late of Milford, now of Stamford in the Colony of Connecticut," &c., &c. [She m. 3rd, Rev. John Bishop of Stamford.] . . . "and concerning the revenue that I shall dye possessed of in old England comonly called by the name of Edgton, Kerbye moreside and Southfields, now in my behalf, one that Mr. John Dickson looks after, it forming my share and proportion of which revenue or annuity is ten pounds by the yeare," &c.

† On the 23rd Sept., 1777, letters of admon. concerning the goods of George Ward issued from the Prerogative Court of Canterbury to Mary Ward, widow and relict of the deceased.

Also his sister Elizh. Wilson, wife of | Francis Wilson, Esq., of Vauxhall, who | who (sic) departed this Life June the 10th, 1805 [? 1806] | Aged 79 years. |

The whole of the gravestones in this burial ground have been copied and are printed in the 1st Volume of the Proceedings of the Huguenot Society of London, with notes of the wills and administrations extracted from the P.C.C. at Somerset House, by Mr. J. T. Squire.

[As space will allow we hope to give a large collection of notes on the Wards of Givendale, Otley, Bradford, &c.—Ed.]



BOWES.—I shall be very much obliged if you, or any of your numerous correspondents, could assist me to discover the link that is missing in the pedigree showing descent from Richard Bowes mentioned on page 99 of *Yorkshire Genealogist* as the purchaser of Babthorpe, also mentioned in Burton's *Monasticon* and Langdale's *Topographical Dictionary*. The above Richard was son of Martin, 2nd son of Sir Martin Bowes, Lord Mayor of London 1546, and from him I can trace a pedigree to one John Bowes of Cowick, 1702, who married Frances, dau. of Nath. Topham, of Duffield, Gent. This John had a son John, born 1698, and daus. Jane and Frances; here I stop. I have however a written statement of Mrs. Frances Browne of Selby, who was a daughter of Richard Bowes, my great, great, grandfather, that her grandfather's name was understood to be John, that he or his father owned Babthorpe, Bowthorpe, Hagthorpe, and other property in Hemingborough, in Howdenshire. That he had 3 sons, viz.—1st, John who lived at Selby, known as Captain Bowes, who had a son John; 2nd, Richard of Darlington, Mrs. Brown's father (see Foster's *Yorkshire Pedigrees*, Hutchinson's and Surtee's *Durham*, Longstaffe's *Darlington*, Burke's *Royal Descents*, Burke's *Extinct and Dormant Peerages*, &c.); and 3rd, Thomas, Coroner at Selby, where he died and was buried 1777. I am very desirous of making out who Richard's (of Darlington,) father was, and cannot help thinking that John of Cowick is the man. Richard of Darlington was born about 1710.

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BODGER.—The surname Bodger is not unknown in the East Riding, and is probably derived from Lincolnshire. In Cornwall, Boger and Bodgener are surnames (Charnock's "*Patronymica Cornu-Britannica*."). C. S. WAKE.

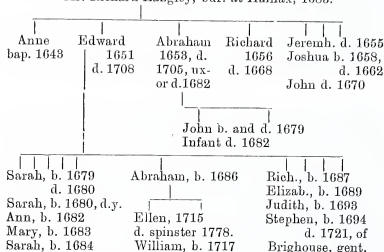
The name referred to in my "*Miscellanea Marescalliana*" is no doubt Bog, a by no means uncommon surname.

GEORGE W. MARSHALL.

LANGLEY.—At Hipperholme, near Halifax, there has been a family of this name for three centuries. A few times in the

early line, and frequently during the present century the name appears as Longley. The Langleys of Hipperholme nearly always have Mr. before their name in the Registers, and were considerable property owners.

Mr. Richard Langley, bur. at Halifax, 1683.



Ambrose Longley, of Hipperholme, was father of John (1623), and Grace (1625). John buried a daughter Sarah in 1657, aged one year, and his wife in 1658.

Lightcliffe Register gives Matthew Longley's burial in 1741, Sarah Longley's excommunication in 1722, and Sarah Longley's burial in 1760.

Elizabeth Langley, widow, was buried in 1727 at Halifax. The names of Mr. Richard, Mr. Abraham, Mr. Edward Langley are of constant recurrence in the township books.

Hartshead Register gives: 1643, Nov. 28, buried—a soldier that died at John Langley's.

Joseph Langley, Card-maker, of Brighouse, 1784, and his family are all registered at Hartshead. ED.

Further Notes on Yorkshire Langleys will oblige.—A.F.L.



SPOFFORTH.—In the IV. Vol. of *Testamenta Eboracensia*, published by the Surtees Society in 1871, and edited by the learned Canon Raine, I lately came across (at page 26) the Will of John Carre of York. It is dated A.D. 1487, and one of the numerous bequests is as follows—

“Also I bewit to the Abbot of Seynt Marie Abbay, a payr of
“Spectacles of sylver and gylted, and a bonet that was
“sumtyme the Bisshoppis of Hertforth.”

The note to this bequest is as follows: (p. 29.)

"Thomas Spofforth, Bishop of Hereford, resigned his See in 1448, and began *prebendinare* in S. Mary's Abbey, York, on Augt. 5, 1456. Adm. recolendæ memoriæ Tho: Episc Hereford inter septa mon B. M. Ebor. dum vixit prebendinantis, et ibidem decendentio," was granted to John Shalford, monk of that house (Reg. test. 11, 334a).

The Bishop was probably a native of the Yorkshire village which bears his surname. Among the Robin Hood ballads is one that relates to the outlaw robbing the Bishop of Hereford. It is quite possible that our Bishop fell into the clutches of the Barnsdale rover and lost his money, unde nomen et carmen. It was not every day that a Bishop of Hereford found his way into Yorkshire. The Lines of the ballad are—

"Some will talk of Robin Hood

And some of Barons bold;

But I'll tell you how he served the Bishop of Hereford

When he robb'd him of his gold."

Canon Raine being asked for an explanation as to the anachronism apparent between the supposed time during which Robin Hood performed his exploit, viz: (temp. John, & Richard the Lion-hearted) replies as follows—

"Robin Hood must not be treated as an historical personage, with a date assigned to him. The Ballads seem to be of the 15th and 16th centuries, and a robbery of Bishop Spofforth might easily be incorporated in them. They are, no doubt, by various writers, and of various dates."

Can any of your correspondents or contributors throw further light on the subject?

In the Surtees Society's publication, 1871, of the Register of the Guild of Corpus Christi, p. 19, appears the following entry:

"Decimo anno (1417-1418).

Agn. Spoforth	}	sorores abbatis."
Matil. Spoforth		

Have you any means of ascertaining what became of these two sisters of the Abbot?

In Davies' Municipal Records of York (Appendix,) is an interesting mention of Abbot Thos. Spofforth and his munificence to the Corpus Christi Guild (pp. 248-9, 254n, 260), yet he exceeded this in building the palace during his episcopacy at Hereford, and in erecting the splendid window in Ludlow Church.

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BARRACLOUGH.—Mr. Thomas Barraclough, of 8, King Street, Manchester, has issued a circular inviting any person interested in this old Yorkshire name, (appearing as Baroclag' in 1879, Beryclife, Barrecliff, and all forms of Barrowcluff,) to send him materials for a family history. Remember that every little

helps, and if you can write the addresses of any of the name on a post card, and send it to him, great assistance may result. We have about 200 extracts from Halifax Registers for him.

Ed.

MIDGLEY.—It is stated in the Appendix to Thoresby's History of Leeds that Mr. Joseph Midgley of Leeds, clothier, who died in 1759, made a charitable bequest amounting, after the death of his widow in 1794, to £800. I shall be glad if any correspondent can state whether he was related to Robert Midgley of Leeds, Surgeon, who was one of the feoffees of the Parish Church in 1715, and if so shew the connection.

CONSTABLE.—There was a Monumental Inscription in the Leeds Parish Church to the Memory of Everingham Constable, of Leeds, Gent., who was a son of Marmaduke Constable, of Kexby, and died 6 Jan., 1691. I am desirous of ascertaining whether he was married, and if so, whether he left any descendants.

J. RUSBY, F. R. Hist. Soc.

18, Oppidans Road, Regents Park, N.W.

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OLD YORKSHIRE M.P's.—The following additions to Mr. Taylor's interesting Biographical List may be worth inserting.

ABBOT, SIR MAURICE, Hull, 1620, 1625, 1627-8. He also represented London in 1626. Was an Alderman of London. Lord Mayor in 1638. Knighted by Charles I. at Whitehall, 12 April, 1625.

ABEL, RICHARD, Richmond, 1719-22. Sat also for Aylesbury in Bucks, 1722-27. Was of East Claydon, Bucks, of which manor his ancestors were lords for several generations till sold by William Abel, his father.

AMYS, THOMAS, Thirsk, 1563. The reference to the Harl. Soc. Vol. 13, p. 19, though to a family of this name does not give this member. I have some doubt if the name should not read Thomas "Eyms," who was M.P. for Thirsk from 1555-57.

ANSON, GEORGE, Hedon, 1744-47. The celebrated Admiral, created Lord Anson 1747, died 1762.

ASHILL, THOMAS, Knaresborough, 1557. Should be Thomas "Colshill."

ASHLEY, FRANCIS, Scarborough, 1555. Should be Francis "Ashlaby." I know nothing of him.

ASHLEY, THOMAS, Boroughbridge, 1563. Should be "John" Ashley. He was M.P. for Cricklade in Wilts, 1558-9, but I am not sure of his identity.

BACON, NICHOLAS, Beverley, 1563. He was eldest son of Lord Keeper Sir Nicholas Bacon, and sat for Suffolk 1572-83. Created a Baronet in 1611.

BAKER, WILLIAM, Aldborough, 1777-78. Was of Bayfordbury, Herts, and afterwards M.P. for that County in several Parliaments. (Vide Burke's *Landed Gentry*.)

BANKS, RICHARD, Knaresborough, 1572. Probably 'Richard Banke' of Quixley, who married Elizabeth, dau. of Gilbert. (Vide Foster's *Visitations*.)

BEAUCLERK, HON. AUBREY, Aldborough, 1768-74. Only son of Vere, 1st Baron Vere of Harworth. Succeeded his father as 2nd Baron in 1781, and his cousin as 5th Duke of St. Albans in 1787. Died 1802. W. D. PINK.

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FROBISHER.—Can the line of the Frobisher family be traced after the death of Sir Martin (d. 1594)? His nephew, Martin Frobisher died before him; another nephew, Capt. Peter Frobisher, was his heir. Did Peter die without issue? and through which of Sir Martin's male relatives has the line come down to us?

Do the registers or real estate transfers of "Normantown" or "Finningley" give information as to how long time the Frobishers remained in Yorkshire? or whether the estates descended from Capt. Peter to others of his line?

Are the registers in such condition as to permit of examination? and if printed in full, in what publication may they be found?

Box 2725, Boston, Mass.

JOHN RITCHIE, JR.

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OLD YORKSHIRE M.P.'s.

BY THE REV. R. V. TAYLOR, B.A., (*continued*).

For a portrait of Mr. C. H. Anderson, Q.C., (see the last No. p. 99), formerly of Burneston, near Bedale, Yorks., and M.P. for Elgin and Nairn, see the *Graphic* for Oct. 23, 1886.

APPLEYARD, SIR MATTHEW, M.P. for Hedon, and Military Commander, 1660, &c. See an original portrait of him in Hedon Town Hall.

For a portrait of Mr. John Austin, M.P. for the Osgoldeross division in the West Riding, and the son of the late Mr. J. Austin, of Skelton Hall, York; (born at Kippax in 1823, and was educated there, and at Owens College, Manchester;) see the *Graphic* for Sept. 25, 1886.

BEAUMONT, THOS. WENTWORTH, Wakefield and Northumberland, 1618-20. Mr. Thos. Wentworth Beaumont (1792-1848), was the eldest son of Thos. Rich. Beaumont, of The Oaks, of Darton, and Bretton Hall, Yorkshire, and of Hexham Abbey, Northumberland; Colonel in the Army, and Knight in six Parliaments for the County of Northumberland. Mr. Beaumont

succeeded to the representation of Northumberland on the retirement of his father in 1818, and was chosen again in 1820, without opposition, but lost his election in 1826. This defeat was attended with circumstances which led to a duel with the Earl of Durham, then Mr. Lambton. He sat for Stafford in 1830, but on the retirement of the Hon. Mr. Liddell, he was restored to the representation of Northumberland, for which county he continued to sit till 1837, when he retired, and died in 1848. See also the "Gent. Mag.," the "Annual Register," Vol. 91; Stephen's "Dict. of Biog.," Vol. IV; and Ward's "Men of this Reign," 1885, &c.

BECKETT (DENISON), ERNEST WM., of Kirkstall Grange, near Leeds, M.P. for the Whitby Division, in the North Riding of Yorkshire, is the eldest son of Mr. Wm. Beckett (Denison), M.P. for the Bassetlaw Division of Nottinghamshire, and of Nun Appleton, Bolton Percy, by the Hon. Helen, third daughter of the 2nd Earl of Feversham. He was born Nov. 25th, 1856; educated at Eton and Cambridge; married Oct. 4th, 1883, Lucy Traey, only child of Wm. P. Lee, Esq., of New York. He is a Conservative, and a partner in the firm of Messrs. Beckett & Co., Bankers, of Leeds, &c. A large portrait of him was recently given in the *Yorkshire Post*, and a small one in the *Graphic* for Jan. 2nd, 1886, &c.

BECKETT (DENISON), WILLIAM, of Nun Appleton, Bolton Percy, Yorkshire, M.P. for the Bassetlaw Division of Nottinghamshire, is the second surviving son of the late Sir Edward Beckett-Denison, M.P., 4th Bart., of Grimthorpe, Yorkshire (who had resumed on inheriting the baronetcy the name of Beckett), by Maria, daughter of William Beverley, Esq., of Beverley. He was born at Doneaster in 1826; educated at Rugby and Trinity College, Cambridge; and married in 1855, the Hon. Helen Duncombe, third daughter of the 2nd Earl of Feversham. He is a banker, head of the firm of Beckett & Co., of York, Leeds, and various towns in Yorkshire and Nottinghamshire, and President of the Country Bankers' Association. He is also a Magistrate and Deputy Lieutenant for the West Riding of Yorkshire. He is a Conservative, and sat for East Retford from 1876 to 1880. His London residence is 138, Piccadilly, W. A small portrait of him was given in the *Graphic* for Jan. 23rd, 1886.

BEECROFT, GEO. SKIRROW, late M.P. for the borough of Leeds, died in London, March 18th, 1869, aged 59. Mr. G. S. Beecroft was first returned to Parliament in June, 1857, and he retained his seat until the dissolution in 1868, when he resigned. Mr. Beecroft was a Conservative in politics, but he was highly esteemed by all parties in the borough. He was born at Outwood House, Horsforth, near Leeds, November 16th, 1809; was the eldest son of the late Mr. George Beecroft, of Kirkstall,

also near Leeds, and of Mary, eldest daughter of the late Mr. John Andus, of Selby. He married, first, in 1835, his first cousin, Septima Garland, daughter of the late Thos. Butler, of Kirkstall Forge. She died in 1837, having had two daughters, one died in infancy, and the second died in 1868. He married, as his second wife, in 1842, Mary Isabella, only daughter of Mr. George Beaumont, J.P., of Halifax, by whom he had issue: Geo. Andus Beaumont, born in 1844, who died in 1873, and Mary Alice, who died in her infancy. Mr. G. S. Beecroft was for many years the chief proprietor of the well known Kirkstall Forge, which his father had successfully carried on for many years. He was elected without opposition for three successive periods, viz., in 1850, 1853, and 1856, as a Town Councillor for Headingley Ward. At the general election in March, 1857, Mr. Beecroft was the chairman of the committee of the late Mr. Robert Hall, and on the death of Mr. Hall, a few months after his election, Mr. Beecroft was himself selected as a candidate by the Conservative party. He had for his opponent Mr. Remington Mills, who had been defeated at the preceding general election. The contest proved a very severe one, Mr. Beecroft having been returned by a majority of only six votes. The numbers were—Beecroft, 2070; Mills, 2064. At the general election in April, 1859, Mr. Beecroft was again returned, beating Mr. W. E. Forster, of Burley-in-Wharfedale. The numbers at the poll on that occasion were—Baines, 2343; Beecroft, 2302; Forster, 2280. At the general election in July, 1865, he was placed at the head of the poll; the result being as follows—Beecroft, 3223; Baines, 3045; Amberley, 2902. During the eleven years and a half which Mr. Beecroft represented the borough he gave himself up thoroughly to the interests of his constituents. In the Assize question, the Amendment of the Bankruptcy Law, the establishment of Inland Bonding Warehouses, and in all matters affecting the commercial interests of the borough he worked incessantly; and a more attentive representative, one who underwent more personal labour to accomplish whatever was for the benefit of his constituents, never perhaps sat in the House of Commons, he being at all times accessible to the humblest of them. He was sincerely attached to the Church of England, but accorded the utmost freedom to all other denominations. He was a Magistrate and Deputy Lieutenant for the West Riding, &c. A portrait of Mr. Beecroft was given in the *Illustrated London News*, for Feb. 19th, 1859; and also in "Old Yorkshire," Vol. 2, p. 192, &c.

BEESTON, HUGH, was M.P. for Knaresborough, in 1597. For the pedigree and coat-of-arms of the Beestons, see Thoresby's "Ducatus Leodiensis," p. 205; also the Appendix to Burke's "Landed Gentry"; Foster's "Yorkshire Visitations," p. 322; and Collyer's and Turner's "Hist. of Ilkley," p. 219, &c.

BEISLEY, REGINALD, was M.P. for Knaresborough, in 1553. See also Beseley and Beyseley.

BESELEY, REGINALD, was M.P. for Scarborough, 1547-53; ? and again in 1554, and also Recorder. He was elected M.P. for Thirsk in 1553, and 1554, and M.P. for York in 1555.

BESELEY, EDWARD, was elected M.P. for Pontefract in 1557, and also for Scarborough, in the same year.

BEYSELEY, EDWARD, was M.P. for Ripon in 1553. There is the will of John Beseley, 1493, in the "Test. Ebor.", and for the pedigree of the Besley family, see Foster's "Visitations of Yorkshire," p. 218, &c. Brief biographical sketches of the above are desired.

BELASYSE, T. E. W., was M.P. for (Knaresborough) in 1805. See under Bellasis, &c. The family of Belasyse, or Bellasis, of Henknowle in the county of Durham, and of Newburgh Park, Yorkshire, has given many representatives to the borough of Thirsk. Few families, if any, of our British nobles can "Boast a longer line, where time through heroes and through beauties steers," than that of the great house of Bellasyse. They deduce a genealogy from Belasius, who commanded a division of the army of William the Conqueror at the battle of Hastings. He had issue, Rowland, who married Elgiva, dau. and heiress of Ralph de Belasyse of Belasyse, and who in right of his wife assumed the name of Rowland Belasius Belasyse.* His great grandson was Sir Rowland Belasyse, who attained "his spurs" so gallantly at the battle of Lewes 48th Henry III. For further particulars of the pedigree of this family see Foster's "Visitations of Yorkshire," p. 231; Foster's "Yorkshire Pedigrees"; Graves's "Hist. of Cleveland," p. 57; Hutchinson's "Hist. of Durham," Vol. II. pp. 574-5; and Surtees' "Durham," Vol. I., p. 203, &c.

BELL, RALPH, M.P. for Thirsk, 1710-13-15-17. He was the son of Robert Bell, of the Hall, Thirsk, who purchased the Manor of Thirsk from the Earl of Derby, and died in August, 1711. He was married at the Minster, York, in March, 1697. In 1717 he was appointed by the government one of the "Customers" of the port of Hull; and was buried November 3rd, 1735; leaving two sons and two daughters—1, Ralph, born in October, 1720; 2, Peter, born in January, 1726; 3, Elizabeth, born in May, 1736; and 4, Mary. Elizabeth was married to Peter Consitt, Esq., of Brawith, and was mother of the late Marcop and Peter Consitt, Esqs. Mary married Robert Livesey, Esq., of Livesey Park, Lancashire. Ralph Bell succeeded his father as Lord of the Manor of Thirsk, and married Anne, daughter and coheiress of Edward Conyers, Esq., by whom he had two sons and a daughter—1, John, his eldest son and heir;

* We would like to see an original deed proving this.—Ed.

2, Robert, of Kildale (who assumed the name and arms of Livesey, in addition to those of Bell), born April 1st, 1768; married in 1794, Jane, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Cleaver, of Malton, and had issue, Marianne, married to Edmund Turton, Esq., of Upsall; 3, Marianne, who married, Dec. 3, 1798, the Rev. Henry Gale, M.A. John Bell, Esq., the eldest son of the above Ralph, was the next owner of the Manor of Thirsk. He was born Oct. 3, 1764, and married in 1800, Frances Brady, daughter of the Hon. Wm. Barnett; and had issue—1, John (the next M.P.), who succeeded his father; 2, Frances, married Sept. 2, 1823, to the Rev. Wm. Maclean, and had issue, Frederick, &c., of whom hereafter; 3, Jane, who married (1) in Sept., 1833, Captain Baynton, of the 12th Lancers; and (2) Major Sanders, of the Austrian service, who died in Jan., 1883, aged 83. By his death the estate now comes into the full possession of Mr. Reginald Bell, of the Hall, Thirsk. See also Burke's "Landed Gentry," &c.

BELL, JOHN, M.P. for Thirsk, 1841-47-51. He was the eldest surviving son of the above John Bell, of the Hall, Thirsk, was born Aug. 11th, 1809, and in 1841 he was elected M.P. for the borough of Thirsk. He stood on Liberal principles, and was a steady supporter of Lord Melbourne's administration, and a constant advocate for general education, liberty of conscience, the press, and general reform; although opposed to vote by ballot and the repeal of the Corn Laws. He continued the popular representative of the borough until the time of his death, March 5, 1851, aged 41. Dying without issue, he was succeeded in his estates by his nephew, Frederick, son of his sister Frances, who assumed the name of Bell only, in lieu of that of Maclean. He was born in Dec., 1840, and was a Captain in the North York Rifles, but retired; and also Lord of the Manor of Thirsk, Chairman of the Board of Guardians of the Thirsk Poor Law Union, a Magistrate and Deputy-Lieutenant of the North Riding of the County of York. See also Grainge's "Vale of Mowbray," p. 73; the *Gent. Mag.* for 1851, Vol. 2, p. 556; Paver's "York Pedigrees," p. 10; and Foster's "Visitations of Yorkshire," p. 495, &c.

BELLASIS, SIR HENRY, was elected M.P. for Thirsk in 1586, 1601 and 1614. He was the son of Sir William and resided at Newburgh Park, nr. Easingwold, and was High Sheriff of Yorkshire in 1603, and received the honour of knighthood from King James I. at York, on his Majesty's journey to London, April 17th, 1603. He was created a Baronet on the first institution of the order, June 29th, 1611. His wife was Ursula, daughter of Sir Thomas Fairfax of Denton. He erected his tomb in his life-time in York Minster, with the effigies of himself and his lady, his son and two daughters. On his decease,

he was succeeded by his son, the following Sir Thos. Bellasis, or Bellasyse, M.P. Henry B. was also elected M.P. for Aldborough in 1597; and Henry Bellasis, jun., was elected M.P. for York 1628-40; and for Thirsk in 1640.

BELLASIS, ROBERT, was elected M.P. for Thirsk in 1588, and again 1592-97. For their pedigree, &c., see Foster's "Visitations of Yorkshire," p. 231-3; Graves's "Hist. of Cleveland," p. 57; Hutchinson's "Hist. of Durham," Vol. 2, pp. 574-5; Surtees's "Durham," Vol. 1, p. 203, &c.

BELLASIS, SIR THOS., was elected M.P. for Thirsk in 1597, 1620, 1623-28. He was the son of Sir Henry, and was born in 1551. He was created Lord Fauconberg, and Baron of Yarm, 3rd Charles I., May 25, 1627; and afterwards in 1642, Viscount Fauconberg, of Henknowle. He zealously supported the cause of Charles I., and was present at the siege of York, and battle of Marston Moor; after the ruin of the royal cause by that signal defeat, he fled to the continent along with the Earl of Newcastle and others. He died in 1652 and was buried at Coxwold. In the church are several monuments of the Bellasyses and Fauconbergs; one (dated 1603) is an extraordinary structure, built up like a pyramid, and full of pillars, with capitals, cornices, and rows of shields, &c. Another Bellasyse was Chaplain to Henry VIII. Henry Bellasis, jun., son of this Sir Thos. Bellasyse, Lord Fauconberg, of Yarm, was M.P. for Yorkshire in the Long Parliament, but joined the King at Oxford. He was a not very distant connection of the Fairfax family. To Sir Henry Bellasis there is a handsome monument in York Minster, of Corinthian architecture, decorated with coats-of-arms and three small figures in the attitude of prayer. In the upper part, beneath arches, are figures of the Knight and his lady, who was a daughter of the famous Sir Thomas Fairfax. See also Granger's "Biog. History of England," Vol. 3, pp. 143, 213, 218; and Vol. 4, p. 174; Col. Chester's "Westminster Abbey Registers," pp. 199, 239, 290, 338; and "Yorkshire Anecdotes," p. 167, &c.

BELLASIS, SIR JOHN, was elected M.P. for Thirsk in 1620 and 1640. The Hon. John Bellasyse, or Bellasis, second son of Thomas, first Viscount Fauconberg, having distinguished himself as one of the Commanders of the royal army during the civil wars, was elevated to the peerage, 20th Charles I. At the commencement of the rebellion, he arrayed two regiments of cavalry, and four regiments of infantry under the royal banner. He was appointed by the King to be Governor of York, and on the 11th of May, 1644, he lay in the town of Selby with a force of two thousand men, where he was attacked by the Parliamentarians under Sir Thos. Fairfax, when his force was defeated and himself taken prisoner. He had command both

at the battles of Newbury and Naseby, as well as at the sieges of Reading and Bristol. He was promoted to the rank of Lieut.-Colonel, and appointed Commander of the forces in Lincolnshire, Notts, Derbyshire, and the County of Rutland; and immediately afterwards Governor of Newark, which he defended against the English and Scottish armies, until commanded to surrender by the King. His Majesty then appointed him to the Command of the Royal body-guard of Horse. In all these arduous services General Belasyse distinguished himself by courage and conduct; he was frequently wounded, and thrice imprisoned in the Tower of London. At the Restoration his lordship was made Lord-Lieutenant of the East Riding of the County of York, Governor of Hull, General of his Majesty's Forces in Africa, and Governor of Tangier, and also Captain of the King's Guard of Gentlemen pensioners. In the reign of James II., Lord Belasyse was made First Lord of the Treasury, and died in 1689. There is a portrait of him by Vandyck, engraved by R. White, &c. At Newburgh Park, now the seat of Sir George Wombwell, are many portraits bearing the names of Bellasyse and Fauconberg. See also "Yorkshire Anecdotes," p. 31; and Morrell's "Hist. of Selby," p. 159, &c.

BENNET, WM., was elected M.P. for Ripon in 1592.

BENNET, JOHN, was elected M.P. for Ripon in 1597, and 1603; and Sir John Bennet, LL.D., was M.P. for York in 1601.

BENNET, SIR JOHN, (d. 1627), M.P. for Ripon and York, (Ecclesiastic and Civilian,) eldest son of Thos. Bennet, of Wallingford, Berks, was educated at Christ Church, Oxford, and appointed junior proctor of the University, April 21, 1585. He took the degrees of Bachelor and Doctor of Laws by accumulation, July 6, 1589, and was appointed prebendary of Langtoft in the Ch. of York, March 6, 1590-1. About this time he became Vicar-General in spirituals to the Archbp. of York, for whom, if we may judge from the inscription on a small monument which he placed in York Cathedral, upon the death of the Archbishop (John Piers), in 1594, he felt sincere respect. The monument is still to be seen, though not in its original place, having been removed in 1723 to make way for another tomb. In April, 1599, he was made a member of the Council of the North, being then Chancellor of the Diocese, and in the same year was included in a commission to enforce the Act of Uniformity, and other statutes relating to religious questions, within the province of York. In 1597 he had been returned to Parliament as member for Ripon. In the next Parliament (1601), he represented the city of York, and in 1603 was again returned for Ripon. He does not appear to have played any active part in the House of Commons. In Stow's 'Annals,' we read that he made an 'eloquent oration' to King James

during his passage through York, April 15, 1602. The following year (July 23), the King knighted him at Whitehall shortly before his Coronation. About this date he was appointed Judge of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury. Not long after this he became Chancellor to Queen Anne, and M.P. for the University of Oxford. His first wife, Anne, dau. of Chris. Weekes of Salisbury, died in York on Feb. 3, 1601, leaving six children, four sons and two daughters. She was buried in York Cathedral, her husband placing there a modest tablet dedicated to her memory. On June 15, 1620, his eldest son, John, who was born at York, and was the father of Henry, the first Lord Arlington, received the honour of knighthood. His second son, Sir Thos. Bennet, LL.D. and lawyer, was also born at York, Dec. 5, 1592, and died in June, 1670. See Corte's "Sketches of the Lives of Eminent English Civilians," p. 76; and Stephen's "Dict. of Biography," Vol. IV., &c. See also Drake's "Hist. of York," pp. 357, 369, &c.; Wood's "Hist. of Oxford"; and Stephen's "Biog. Dict." &c.

BENSON, HENRY, was elected M.P. for Knaresbro' in 1625, 1628, and 1640-41.

BENSON, ROBT., was M.P. for Aldboro' in 1673; and ROBT. BENSON, jun., was elected M.P. for York in 1705, 1707, 1710; and was afterwards created a peer.

BINGLEY, RIGHT HON. Robert Benson, lord, of Wrenthorpe, nr. Wakefield, and Bramham Park, nr. Tadcaster, was the son of Robert Benson, of Red Hall, nr. Wakefield, a clever, keen, ambitious, and not over scrupulous attorney, and Clerk of the Assizes in the Northern Circuit; who went to London and obtained a situation under Sir Thos. Osborne, the Lord Treasurer. In 1673 he was elected M.P. for Aldborough, co. York, defeating five other candidates, one of whom was Sir John Reresby, Bart., of Thribergh, who speaks rather slightly of him in his "Memoirs and Travels." He married Dorothy, daughter of Tobias Jenkins, of Grimston, co. York, who remarried Sir Henry Belasyse, and died in July, 1696. He left his son, the above Robert, £3000 per annum in land, and £120,000 in cash. His son was raised to the peerage in July, 1713, having previously been Chancellor of the Exchequer, 1711-13, and afterwards Ambassador to the Court of Madrid. He was the builder of the house at Bramham Park, where Queen Anne visited him, and presented him with her portrait, which may still be seen there. He was also the builder of Bingley or Harcourt House, Cavendish Square, London, now the residence of the Duke of Portland. He married the Lady Elizabeth, daughter of Heneage Finch, 1st Earl of Aylesford, and had issue an only daughter, Harriet, who married George Lane Fox; and dying without male issue, the title became

extinct, but was afterwards renewed. Lady Bingley died in March, 1757, aged 78. Lord Bingley's possessions included the lordship of Bingley and Gawthorpe Hall, the manor house purchased by his father from the Currer family, about the middle of the 17th century. He died April 9th, 1731, aged 55 or 63, and was buried in Westminster Abbey, leaving his daughter estates bringing in £7000 per annum, and £100,000 sterling in cash. He was formerly M.P. for York, from 1705 to 1713. There is an original portrait of him, large size, full, to right, in possession of the Lord Mayor and Corporation of York, at the Guildhall, which was at the Leeds Exhibition in 1868. See "Leeds Worthies," p. 173; Hailstone's "Yorkshire Portraits," No. 131; and Col. Chester's "Westminster Abbey Registers," pp. 331, 390, 413, &c.

BENTLEY, JEREMIAH, was M.P. for Halifax, 1654-6:

BENTON, THOMAS, was M.P. for Scarbro' in 1450:

BENYON, RICHARD, was M.P. for Pontefract in 1802: of whom brief sketches are wanted.

BERESFORD, LORD MARCUS, was M.P. for Northallerton in 1824; and the Right Hon. John Beresford, M.P., of Bedale, was the second son of Sir Marcus (lord) Beresford, the first Earl of Tyrone, and brother of the first Marquis of Waterford. He was a barrister-at-law, born in 1737, and became a Privy Councillor and Commissioner of the Irish Revenue, 1770-1805. He married and left issue—1, Marcus Beresford, born in 1764, who married in 1791 Frances Arabella, daughter of Joseph, first Earl of Milltown, and died in 1797, leaving issue by her (who died in May, 1840) the Right Hon. Wm. Beresford, M.P., late Secretary at War, &c. For a portrait and sketch of him see the *Illustrated London News* for April 3rd, 1852, &c. 2, George de la Poer Beresford, Bishop of Kilmore and Armagh, born in 1765, who married and left issue—Marcus Gervais Beresford, D.D., Bishop of Kilmore, Elphin and Ardagh, born in 1801, &c. The next brother to the Right Hon. John B. was William Beresford, in holy orders, who died Archbishop of Tuam, and was created Baron Decies. The Earl of Tyrone died in 1768, and was succeeded by his eldest son, George de la Poer, as second Earl, who was born in 1785; married, and had issue—1, Henry de la Poer, his successor; 2, John George, D.D., Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of All Ireland, born in 1778; 3, George Thomas, a Lieutenant-General and Privy Councillor, born in 1781, &c. Lord Tyrone was created Marquess of Waterford in 1789, and died in 1800; he was succeeded by his eldest son, Henry de la Poer, as second Marquess, who was born in 1772, and died in July, 1826; when he was succeeded by his eldest son, Henry de la Poer Beresford, as third Marquess, who was born in 1811, and died in 1866; when he

was succeeded by John Henry de la Poer Beresford, as fourth Marquess of Waterford, who was born in 1844, &c. See Ingle-dew's "Hist. of Northallerton," pp. 139-40; and also the "Peerages and Baronetages," &c.

BERESFORD, ADMIRAL SIR JOHN P., K.C.B., and M.P. for Northallerton, from 1826 to 1832, a distinguished Admiral of the white, was the natural son of George, first Marquess of Waterford, and brother of the celebrated General, Wm. Can. Viscount Beresford; was born in 1769, and was created a Baronet, May 21, 1824; and died at Bedale, Oct. 2, 1844, aged 75, to whom there is a neat tablet in Bedale Church; and also to his second wife, Harriet Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Peirse, Esq., who died in 1824; and also to Miss Mary Ann Peirse, who was succeeded in the property by her nephew, Henry Wm. de la Poer Beresford Peirse, Esq., (son of the above Admiral), of Bedale and Hutton Bonville, co. York, who was born Sept. 27th, 1820; married March 2nd, 1848, Henrietta Ann Theodosia, only daughter of the late Hon. and Rev. Thos. Monson, rector of Bedale; and had issue, the present Sir Henry Monson de la Poer Beresford-Peirse, Bart., of the Hall, Bedale, who was born in 1850; succeeded as third Baronet in 1873; married in the same year Lady Adelaide Mary Lucy, daughter of the third Earl of Bandon; is a J.P. and D.L. for the North Riding. Heir, his son, Henry Bernard de la Poer, born in 1875, &c. The Admiral's second son, by his second wife, was the Rev. John George Beresford, M.A., rector of Bedale, who was born in 1821; married in 1846 the Hon. Caroline Amelia, youngest daughter of Lord Denman, and has issue, &c. The rectory of Bedale is worth £2000 a year, and is in the patronage of the above Sir H. M. de P. Beresford-Peirse, Bart. See Whellan's "North Riding of Yorkshire," Vol. 2, pp. 108, 108; Walford's "County Families"; the *Gent. Mag.* for 1844, Vol. 2, p. 646; the "Peerages and Baronetages," &c.; and also Ward's "Men of this Reign," 1885; Ralfe's "Naval Biography," IV. 97; and Stephen's "Biog. Dict.," Vol. IV., &c.

BERGH, JOHN DE, was M.P. for Scarbro' in 1327.

BERKELEY, GEORGE, was elected M.P. for Hedon, in 1734 and 1744.

BESELEY, EDW., was elected M.P. for Pontefract in 1557; and also for Scarbro'. And EDWARD BEYSELEY, was M.P. for Ripon in 1553. See page 186-7 postea.

BESELEY, REGINALD, was M.P. for Scarboro', 1547-54; and was also Recorder. He was also M.P. for Thirsk, in 1553-55; and M.P. for York, in 1555. See also before under Beisley, Reginald, who was M.P. for Knaresbro' in 1553. For the Besley family, see Foster's "Visitations of Yorkshire," p. 218.

BEST, THOMAS, was M.P. for Ripon in 1620; see Foster's "Yorkshire Pedigrees," and Burke's "Landed Gentry," &c. Of whom a brief sketch is wanted.

BETHEL, or BETHELL, HUGH, was M.P. for Yorkshire in 1654 and 1656.

BETHELL, HENRY, or HUGH, was M.P. for Knaresbro' in 1660; and SIR HUGH BETHELL was M.P. for Hedon in 1660-61.

Sir Walter Bethell, Knt., of Alne, Yorkshire, who died in 1622, and was buried at Alne on the 2nd of March, was succeeded by Sir Hugh Bethell, Knt., of Ellerton, who died in Jan. 1662; having married Frances, daughter of Wm. Frankland, of Thirkleby, and was buried at St. Michael-le-Belfrey's, in York, Aug. 26, 1673. Slingsby Bethell, M.P. for Knaresboro', 1658, and Sheriff of London, 1680, was one of his brothers; and married Mary Burrell, of Huntingdonshire. He was baptized at Alne, Feb. 27, 1667. Another brother was the Rev. Wm. Bethell, D.D., rector of Kirkby Overblow, who died March 25, 1685, and was buried at Kirkby, nr. Wetherby; having married Bridget, dau. of Sir John Bouchier, and died Sept. 12, 1662. He had eleven children by his marriage; and was succeeded by his eldest son, Wm. Bethell, born at Kirkby Overblow, Sept. 3, 1647; married at St. Martins, Coney St., Oct. 25, 1688, and died March 31, 1699; having married Elizabeth, dau. of Sir John Rooke; and was succeeded by Hugh Bethell, Esq., born Sept. 4, 1689, and died Feb. 4, 1747, &c. See "Leeds Churches," p. 431, &c.

BETHELL, SIR HUGH, Knt., M.P. for Knaresborough, in 1660, was the son of Hugh Bethell, Esq., of Rise, in Holderness, who died in 1658. He was High Sheriff of Yorkshire in 1652; was Knighted Dec. 29, 1658; aged 49 in the year 1665; died Oct. 3, 1679; and was buried at Rise; having married Mary, dau. of Thomas Michelburne, of Calton. She married, secondly, Christopher Hildyard, and was buried at St. John's, Beverley; and was succeeded by her eldest son, Hugh Bethell, Esq., of Rise, aged 13, in 1665; died Sept. 7, 1677; having married Margaret, dau. of Sir John Dawney, Knt., of Cowick. The arms of the Bethells are—argent, a chevron, sable, between three boars' heads, erased close, sable. For their pedigree and other particulars, see Dugdale's "Visitation of Yorkshire," 1665, pp. 132, 155; Thoresby's "Duc. Leod.," p. 103; Oliver's "Hist. of Beverley," p. 533; Poulson's "Hist. of Holderness," Vol. 1, pp. 408, 542; Foster's "Yorkshire Visitations," p. 241; Foster's "Yorkshire Pedigrees," and Burke's "Landed Gentry," &c.

BETHEL, SLINGSBY, a parsimonious Yorkshire man, and M.P. for Knaresborough, in 1658, was one of the Sheriffs of London and Middlesex in 1680. Being an Independent, and consequently

a Republican, he was one of the most zealous and active of that party who were for excluding the Duke of York from the crown. He understood trade, and seems to have been well acquainted with those maxims by which an estate is *saved* as well as gotten. After riches poured in upon him, his economy was much the same as it was before. Parsimony was so habitual to him, that he knew not how to relax into generosity upon proper occasions; and he was censured for being too frugal in his entertainments when he was Sheriff of London:

"Chaste were his cellars, and his Shrieval board
The grossness of a city feast abhor'd;
His cooks, with long disuse, their trade forgot,
Cool was his kitchen, tho' his brains were hot."

He was the author of a book, entitled, "The Interest of the Princes and States of Europe," 8vo, London, 1681 and 1694. At the end is a narrative of the most material debates and passages in the Parliament which sat in the Protectorate of Richard Cromwell. This was first printed by itself in 1659. He was also author of "The Present Interest of England Stated," 4to, London, 1671; "Observations on a Letter written by the D. of B.," and "The World's Mistake in Oliver Cromwell." He was one of Pope's friends, and was the son of Sir Walter Bethel, of Alne, in Yorkshire, by Mary, his wife, sister to the Sir Henry Slingsby who was beheaded June 8th, 1658. Slingsby Bethel was baptised at Alne, Feb. 27th, 1687, and was the brother of Sir Hugh Bethel, and the Rev. Wm. Bethel, rector of Kirkby Overblow, nr. Wetherby, &c. See Poulson's "Holderness," l. 316; and Stephen's "Biog. Dict.," Vol. IV., &c. There is an engraved portrait of him, whole length, by Sherwin, in a livery gown, with gold chain; and another was published by W. Richardson, in 1800, &c.

BETHELL, SIR HUGH, was M.P. for Hedon in 1678, 1695 and 1698. Hugh Bethell was M.P. for Pontefract in 1715; and another for Beverley in 1768.

BETHELL, HUGH, M.P. for Beverley, 1768; and High Sheriff of Yorkshire in 1761; was the son of Hugh Bethell, Esq., of Rise, who was High Sheriff of Yorkshire in 1734, and died March 25, 1752, aged 61. The above Hugh Bethell died at the Bell Inn, at Edmonton, May 8, 1772, in his 45th year, unmarried; and was succeeded by his brother, Wm. Bethell, Esq., of Rise, who married Charlotte, dau. of Ralph Pennyman, Esq., and brother of Sir Wm. Pennyman, Bart. For an engraving of their seat, Rise Hall, near Hull, &c., see Poulson's "Holderness," p. 416, &c.

BETHELL, RICHARD, was elected M.P. for Yorkshire in 1830, and for the East Riding, 1832-41. He was born May 10, 1772, and was formerly Fellow of King's College, Cambridge, where

he proceeded B.A. in 1795. Under the will of his relative, Wm. Bethell, Esq., who died in July, 1799, he acquired Rise, with considerable estates in Holderness and other parts of Yorkshire. He was High Sheriff of Yorkshire in 1822, and was one of the four members returned for this county in 1830; his colleagues being Viscount Morpeth, afterwards Earl of Carlisle, who died a few weeks before him; Mr. afterwards Lord Brougham; and the Hon. Wm. Duncombe, afterwards Lord Feversham. From 1832 to 1841, Mr. Bethell represented the East Riding of Yorkshire in the Conservative interest; and on one occasion, when there was a contest, he was placed at the head of the poll. When he retired into private life, Lord Hotham succeeded him in the representation of the Riding. Mr. Bethell died at Rise, near Hull, Dec. 25, 1864, aged 92; and was succeeded by his nephew, Wm. F. Bethell, Esq., son of his deceased brother, the late Rev. George Bethell, formerly of King's College, Cambridge, and rector of Worplesdon, near Guildford. Another brother, the Right Rev. Christopher Bethell, D.D., Bishop of Bangor, from 1830 to 1859, was also a Fellow of King's College. Mr. Bethell was for many years Chairman of the East Riding Quarter Sessions; and his acute legal knowledge, business-like habits, and courteous demeanour, secured for him universal respect and admiration. The Bethell family have resided at Rise and held estates there from the time of James I. Rise Church was rebuilt in 1845, at a cost, it is supposed, of about £2000, by Richard Bethell, Esq., and is now a neat structure, with a tower. It contains several monuments to the Bethell family. See also the *Gent. Mag.* for March, 1865, &c. The following is an anecdote or *bon mot* of Mr. Bethell and his lost suit. Mr. Bethell, a learned counsellor, as celebrated for his wit as for his practice, was once robbed of a suit of clothes in rather an extraordinary manner. Meeting, on the day after, a brother barrister in the Hall of the Four Courts, the latter began to condole with him on his misfortune, mingling some expressions of surprise at the singularity of the affair. "It is extraordinary indeed, my dear friend," replied Bethell, "for without vanity, I may say it is the first *suit* I ever lost." The above Mr. Bethell would probably be related to the Bethell family of Rise, near Hull; if not the one above-mentioned. They who recollect the late Mr. Richard Bethell, of Rise, are aware of the very high esteem in which he was held. On his retirement as member for the East Riding, his portrait, painted by Partridge, was presented to him by his constituency, as he was ever foremost in promoting objects of a useful and charitable nature. See also Burke's "Landed Gentry," and Walford's "County Families," &c.

BETHELL, GEORGE RICHARD, of Rise Park, Hull, M.P. for the Holderness Division of the East Riding of Yorkshire, is the 2nd

son of the late Mr. Wm. F. Bethell, by his wife, Elizabeth Beckett Bethell. He was born at Rise, in Holderness, on March 23rd, 1849; and educated at private schools at Laleham and Gosport. He entered the navy as Cadet in June, 1862, and served on the Pacific Station as Cadet and Midshipman in H.M.S. Columbine and Suttlej; in 1863 and 1867 he was in the Channel as Midshipman on H.M.S. Gladiator, and in the Mediterranean as Midshipman on H.M.S. Rapid. He was in the Gulf of Suez serving as Sub-lieutenant in H.M.S. Newport and Shearwater. He was promoted to Lieutenant in Sept., 1872, and made an exploring voyage in H.M.S. Challenger in 1872-76, and in H.M.S. Lion, and Warrior, in 1877 and 1878. Commander Bethell was in the Straits of Magellan Survey in H.M.S. Alert in 1878-80; was in the Royal Naval Colleges in 1880-83; and on H.M.S. Mindam, Flag-ship of Channel Squadron, 1882-84. He was promoted to the rank of Commander in June, 1884, and served under Sir Chas. Warren in the recent expedition to South Africa. He is a Conservative and holds the Khedive's bronze Star and the Egyptian Medal. A large portrait of him was recently given in the *Yorkshire Post* and a small one in the *Graphic* for Jan. 9, 1886, and in "Yorkshire Notes and Queries."

BEVERLEY, JOHN DE, was M.P. for Whitby in 1387. For the Beverley family, see Dugdale's "Visitation of Yorkshire," published by the Surtees Society, Vol. 36, p. 35; Foster's "Yorkshire Visitations," p. 496; and Burke's "Landed Gentry," &c.

BEYNE, JOHN, was M.P. for York in 1554.

BEYSELEY, EDW., was M.P. for Ripon in 1553; see before under Beisley and Beseley. R. V. T.



OLD YORKSHIRE M.P's., (p. 178.)

HUGH BEESTON, M.P. for Knaresborough in 1597. Sat also for Bodmin, 1588-9; West Looe, 1592-3; Winchilsea, 1601; Stafford, 1604, until decease. He was not one of the Yorkshire Beestons, but was connected with the Cheshire family of the same name, being younger brother of Sir George Beeston, of Beeston, Cheshire, M.P. for that County in 1588-9. He was buried at Banbury, Cheshire, 25th May, 1608.

REGINALD BEISLEY OF BESELEY, M.P. for Knaresborough, 1553; and for Scarborough from 1547 to 1555. There can be no doubt but that these were one and the same. He was probably a brother of Christopher Beseley, of York, named in "Foster's Visitations." As he held the public office of Recorder of Scarborough, it should not be difficult to learn more about him.

EDWARD BESSELEY, BEYSELEY, M.P. for Ripon, 1553, and for Scarborough, 1557, the same person. He was son of Christopher Beseley, of Skelton, and son-in-law of the above-named Reginald, whose daughter Agnes he seems to have married as his first wife about 1564. He subscribed the Visitation of 1584, having then, living, by two wives, no less than nine children. W. D. PINK.
Leigh, Lancashire.

BENSON.—Died at Whitby, December 9th, 1886, in his 72nd year, Alfred Robson Benson, M.R.C.S., who for many years held an appointment in the Hudson Bay Company's service at Fort York, Hudson Bay and Vancouver Fort, Columbia River, Vancouver Island. Whilst at Vancouver Fort, Dr. Benson was intimate with the late General Grant, then a Captain in the U. S. Army. He frequently made journeys into the interior amongst the Indians, with whom he had much influence. About twenty years ago, Mr. Benson returned to England, and took up his abode in his native town, where he was known as an authority upon local and genealogical history, being himself a member of one of the oldest families in Whitby. His portly figure and his friendly greeting will be missed by many, and as much as any by the children, in whom he had always a kindly and affectionate interest. R. T. GASKIN.

DR. JOHN ASH.—The father of Mr. Ash was a Wesleyan Minister, the Rev. William Ash, who was born at Castleton, near Whitby, where his ancestors had resided for several generations; a Memoir of him may be found in the Methodist Magazine for April, 1869, and a portrait of him in vol. 76. Mr. Ash, junr., was well known to the writer, and practised for some years as a surgeon at Coxwold, near Easingwold, he left Coxwold on receiving the appointment of surgeon to the Surrey County Asylum, at Wandsworth. Not caring for the appointment after discharging the duties for some two or three years, he left it for British Columbia; he was a man of considerable ability, and very much esteemed in this neighbourhood, where he was well known. J. R., E.

BLANDS.—I have lately purchased at the Hartley Sale a book on the Family of Bland, and in it is a Pedigree of the Blands of Halifax, and as I have never seen it before I thought that perhaps you might not know of it.

BLANDS OF HALIFAX.

Thomas Bland of Halifax, born in 1669, ob. in 1757.		Thomas Bland, of Halifax, born in March, 1711, d. at Sowerby, 9 May, 1796. et. 86.	
Michael Bland = Patience Jeffereys of London, ob. 18 May, 1772. Merchant; ob. 25 Aug. 1757.	Anna = m. 30 Mariner ob. 24 Aug. 1756. Oct. 1757, of White- ob. in cross street, 1800. London.	1. = Thomas Bland ob. 25 Aug. 1756. 25 Ap., 1714, ob. 28 Oct., 1758.	2. Mary, born in March, 1711, d. at Sowerby, 9 May, 1796. et. 86.
Margaret = John Bland, Thomas Bland = Sarah Bland, of Lombard street, Banker. of Norwich. (Gurney, bn. 27 May, 1755.	Samuel, Susanna.	Thomas Bland, of London, an Engraver, ob. in 1777.	Mary = Wm. Bates of Halifax, in Wool- comber. Dec. 1778
Michael Bland, Esq., = Sophia Maltby, of London; born 18 Aug. 1776.	daughter born in Sep. 1779. Thomas Bland Bates.		
Thomas b. 20 Dec., 1802. ob. 8 Aug., 1825.	Sophia b. 25 May, 1804, ob. Dec. 1818.	Ed. b. 2 Dec. 1807.	Sarah b. 16 Mrch. 1810.
	George b. 1 Dec. 1805.	Anna Maria b. 17 Feb. 1812.	Francis Laurence b. 24 May, 1814.
Priscilla b. 2 Feb. 1816.			

Arms.—Quarterly argent and or, on a bend, sable, three Pheons of the second. Crest.—On a wreath of the colours, out of a crown vallary, or, a Lion's head proper, charged with a bend sable thereon, three Pheons as in the Arms. Motto, Potior Origine Virtus. College of Arms Grants, vol. xxxv.

There is a long account of the family, and the book is dedicated to them. John Hanson married Elizabeth Bland, dau. of Thomas Bland of Halifax, and died and is buried in Halifax Church; also John Hanson to whom there is a tablet. Elizabeth Hanson née Bland d. 1762, Dec. 6th, aged 27, so that she must have been born in 1735.

CLAPHAM OF FEIZOR.

Thos. Clapham = Isabella d. of —, bur. 1622.

Richard Clapham of Feizor, b. 1598. =

Anthony Clapham of Feizor, vix 1636-7.	=	Grace d. of — she md. 2nd — Green.	Francis bap. 4 Feb. 1626, vix 1662.	Robert bap. 1620, bu. 1625 7 April, at Giggleswick.
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Richard Clapham of Feizor, bap., mar. 1684, at Giggleswick.	=	Isabella d. of Thos. Armi- stead of Feizor vix. 1679.	Robert Clapham of Feizor vix 1703.	Thos. Clapham vix 1690.
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Thomas Clapham of Feizor, bap. Mar. 5, 1684, at Giggleswicke.	=	Isabell bap. 9 July, 1685, at Giggleswick.	Richard bap. 19 Mar., 1692, at Giggleswick. Thomas, bap. 20 Jan., 1714, at Giggleswick.	John, bap. 24 Jan., 1696, at Giggleswick.
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Richard Clapham of Feizor, bap. 1 Ap., 1716, at Giggleswick, d. 19 Jan., 1779, will dated 17 Dec., 1779, proved 5 Mar., 1779.

= Ann, d. of —
vix Dec., 1779.

Thomas Clapham of Feizor b. 1746, d. 30 June, 1818, æet 72.	=	Catherine d. of — Rawsthorne, b. 1752.	William Clapham (of Whitby, M.D.) bap. 21 June, 1750, at Giggles- wick, d. unmarried 1785, at Whitby.
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Richard Clapham of Feizor, Austwick Hall, b. 1 April, 1791 m. 22 Mar. 1833, d. 20 Oct., 1856, bur. at Clapham.	=	Isabella d. of Richd. and Ann Hanson of Woodhouse Austwick d. 1 Nov., 1837, bur. at Clapham.	Henry Clapham b. 1796, d. 7 June, 1814, at Feizor, bur. at Clapham.
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Thomas Richard Clapham, Austwick Hall, b. 23 Oct., 1837, Feizor.	Ann Clapham, b. 7 July, 1834
Richard Clapham, b. 13 Sep., 1878, at Austwick Hall.	Noel Clapham, b. 3 April, 1884, at Austwick Hall.

JOHNSON FAMILY, of Ripon.—A copy of the 'Nuremberg Chronicle,' 1493, now in the Reference Department of the Manchester Free Public Libraries, has inscriptions on several pages relating to the Johnson family of Ripon. The first of these is curious, as calling C. Johnson "Alderman" at a date when, according to Gent, the governing body were called "elders." The inscriptions are as follows:—

On the title page:

"Gulielm' Johnson', possessor est huius
Libri. Fili' Christoferi Johnsoni de Ripon
Aldermann. Scriptu Mense Junei xvij^{to}
Anno Domini 1578" and
"Guliel' Johnson."

On the verso of

fol cclviii: "Ista liber attenet Ad Wilhemu Johnsonn."

On the blank p. before fol. cclxvii:

"Xpoferus Johnson me possidet."

E. C. A. A.

HOYLE OF LIGHT HAZELS,

In the Graveship of Sowerby, parish of Halifax, county York.

From Halifax Parish Registry: Wakefield Court Rolls, &c.

Henry Hoile de Lyghthezels living 1559 T

Richard Hoile de Lyghthezels and heir of Henry Hoile T
of Lyghthezels, inherits 22nd April, 1559—54 acres of
land at Lyghthezels and 9½ in the Graveship of Sower-
by. In 1563 he surrenders land; present at the Court
of Sowerby March 13th, 1572.

Richardus Hoyle, bap. at Halifax, April 16, 1564.	Nathan Hoyle, bap. at Halifax, May 6, 1565.	Samuel Hoyle, bap. at Halifax, October 26, 1567.	Henry Hoyle, bap. at Halifax, 21 Sept., 1570.	Græia Hoyle, bap. at Halifax, April 16 1562.	Agnes Hoyle, bap. at Halifax, 26 May, 1566.
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Edmundus Hoile, Dec. 10th, 1568—Surrenders land in the
Graveship of Sowerby.

Nathan Hole de Lyghthazels, 7th November, 1592.

Richard Hoyle de Light Hazels, T
Will dated April 22nd, 1666.

Nathan Hoyle de Light Hazels, who T sole execu-
predeceased his father the above trix to her father-in-law,
Richard Hoyle of Lighthazels, as by Richard Hoyle de Light
said father's Will. He died 1666. Hazels in 1666.

Nathaniel Hoyle de Lighthazells living 1666.	Susan Hoyle All living 1666 and mentioned in grand- father Richard Hoyle's Will.	Sarah Hoyle	Martha Hoyle	Mary Hoyle
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John Hoyle, Esquire, deceased, formerly a Captain T
in the Army of King Charles II., descended of the
family of Hoyle of Lighthazels in Yorkshire.

Richard Hoyle, Esquire, Doctor of Physic. Has his Arms con-
firmed October 27th, 1715. "A Fess between 3 mullets argent.
A fess azure between three mullets sable."

Elkanah Hoyle, of Upper Swift Place, 1660-1718; of Lower
Shaw, Hollings, Lighthazels and Upper Hoyle Head. He
married Sarah Whiteley who died December 10, 1719. De-
scended from the family of Hoyle of Hoyle House, Lightcliffe,
in Halifax Parish. Arms—Ermine, a Mullet or. Crest—On a
Wreath a Griffin's head erased.

HORSFALL.—1586. Dr. John Horsfall succeeded by patent
dated the 15th Sept., 1586, to the Bishopric of Ossory, and sat
upwards of 23 years. He is said to have been partial to his
Vicars Choral. Dr. Williams (Bishop of Ossory,) charges him
with having granted away some of the see lands in fee farm (1.)
He died in 1609, and was buried in his church (2.)

Cotton's Fasti Eccles. Hibern. Leinster, p. 278.

1635. Henry Mainwaring, of Kilkenny, Esq., one of the
Masters in Chancery—who died on the 17th March, 1635, was

(1.) Compare lands ascertained to have been the property of Sir Ciprian
Horsfall, with the list of Bishop's lands set out in the Book of Survey and
Distribution, compiled in 1661-1676. Query: How far is Dr. William's
assertion disproved? Save as to Ballinlobeg described as of the Bishop's
own Manor of Clough.

(2.) Mr. James G. Robertson, of Kilkenny, Treasurer and Curator of the
Royal Historical and Archaeological Society of Ireland, and Architect to the
Dean and Chapter of Ossory, could describe the monument to Dr. Horsfall in
St. Canice's Cathedral.

married to Anne, daughter of Dr. Horsfall. Arms, gules, three horses' heads, coupé argent bridled or.

Funeral Entries, vol. 6, Ulster's Office, Dublin Castle.

A grant of lands was made in the reign of Charles I. to Sir Ciprian Horsfall, (3) in consideration of a fine of £2 18s. 0½d. of the towns and lands of Purcell's-garden, Gortyduff, 2/3rd parts of Killenleigh and Lisdurgan, the Hamlet and lands of Knockmore, with the house and messuage thereon, a messuage or house slated called Leadenhall, and a backside and orchard. Another house slated, called Tan-house alias Steere-house, with a slated house at the backside, and another messuage called Cockhall. The castle and half of the Town and lands of Killrye, situated in the county and city of Kilkenny. In Jamestown, half a quarter and one-eighth of a quarter of a colpe situated in the barony of Compsie and county of Tipperary, to stand seized of same to the use of Edward Tobyn Fitz Lawrence, on payment of £60 sterling. Provided that if James or William Howling, their heirs or assigns, should pay to him £160 in one payment, he to stand seized of Killrye to their use.

Lodge's extracts of the Rolls, vol. v., p. 476.

Ulster Office, Dublin Castle.

Sir John Grace, Kt.

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Oliver Grace, Ar.

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John Grace, Ar.

|
Robert Grace, Ar.

Oliver Grace = Joan, dr. and heir to Sir Ciprian Horsfall
of Courtstown, Co. Kilkenny, | of Enisnag, Co. Kilkenny, Kt.
died 6th July, 1637.

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John, Redmond, Ciprian, Robert, Mary, Ellen.

Pedigrees of many Irish Families, F. 4-18, p. 93. Trinity College, Dublin. The Graces of Courtstown are extinct in the male line. Sir James Langrish, Bart., of Knocktopher Abbey, Thomastown, Co. Kilkenny, represents the female line, his brother Mr. Hercules Langrish, would I am sure, be happy to afford you further information.

Mr. John Dowell Grace, of Mantua, co. Roscommon, is the head of the 2nd branch, and Sir Percy Raymond Grace, Bart., of Boloy Monkstown, co. Dublin, represents the 3rd branch.

(3.) Sir Ciprian Horsfall's name does not appear on the Roll of Knights preserved in Dublin Castle. It is believed he was knighted by Lord Deputy Wentworth when making one of his excursions.

He derives his title from Sir Richard Gamon, of Minchen House, Middlesex, (grandson of Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of John Grace, of Grange), who was created a Baronet in 1795, with remainder in default of male issue, to his kinsman Richard Grace, of Boloy, Queens co.

See Memoirs of the Grace Family, and Sheffield Grace, London, 1823, and Burke's Baronetage.

1638, April 22, Mortgage by Nicholas Dormer of Camolin, co. Wexford, to Sir Ciprian Horsfall, of Enisnag, co. Kilkenny, Kt., of the lands of Strokestown, Camolin and Creckan, and lands near New Ross, co. Wexford, for £600.

Lodge's extracts of the Rolls, Ulster Office.

1661-1676. Bishop's lands in Ossory.

	A.	R.	P.	
Enisnag	916	2	00	Barony of Sheelagher.
Garravan	318	3	00	" "
Outrath	309	1	00	" "
Stancarty	704	1	00	" "
Courteryhan	194	1	00	Barony of Idough.

Book of Survey and Distributions. Public Record Office, Dublin.

The Prerogative and Diocesan records have been searched but no Horsfall Will has been found; the Horsfalls of Ossory are extinct.

Jane Lewin of Cloghan, co. Mayo, married Captain Christopher Horsfall, by whom she had one son Christopher Henry, who as heir to his grandfather assumed the name and arms of Lewin.

Burke's Landed Gentry, an old edition.

Vide—1. Horsfall of Storrs Hall, 1487 p. 179, 4630 p. 296.

Harlean MSS. British Museum.

2. Foster's Visitations of Yorkshire.

3. Publications of the Surtees Society.

Suggested by Sir Bernard Burke, C.B.

Doctor Horsfall was appointed Bishop of Ossory in 1586, and filled that See until his death which occurred in 1609. In 1603 a decree was pronounced in the Irish Court of Chancery at the suit of Cyprian Horsfall against his mother-in-law, Alison D'Alton for the sum of £200, balance of his wife's fortune. An inquisition enrolled in Chancery in 1622, found that Cyprian Horsfall held the lands of Ballinclobeg of the Bishop of Ossory as of his manor of Lough. Another inquisition taken in 1633 records that Sir Cyprian Horsfall, Kt., held the lands of Waltegrange, Moorhouseland, Stainsland alias Stainshays, for the term of 91 years. And another inquisition found that he was possessed in the year 1635, of the lands of Crutt and Coliad situated within the precincts of the territory of Idough which formerly belonged to the O'Brennans.

In 1637-1640, Sir Cyprian Horsfall figures as a defendant in a chancery suit instituted by one Grimes. Sir Cyprian had intimate relations with the Cantwells and Blanchvilles, who were of Norman stock and Catholics, and perhaps had, with the rest of his neighbours taken the King's side against the Parliament, when civil war broke out in 1641; as his widow, Lady Horsfall, was included in the Decree of confiscation pronounced by the Parliament of England on the 12th August, 1650, against all who had not manifested "*Constant good affection*" to their interest, and under which she forfeited her estates in Kilkenny. In some MS. volumes preserved in the Library of Trinity College, Dublin, the Horsfalls figure among the principal families in Ireland in the 17th century. The only person of the name now in Ireland is Major William Christian Horsfall, J.P. for the County Mayo. [Formerly of Bradford, Yorks.]

In 1616, King James insisted that the Mayor to be elected for that year for the city of Kilkenny, should take the oath of supremacy and be in every way '*conformable*' to the new arrangements he had established; all the members of the Corporation being apparently Catholics none of them could take the oath prescribed, and the elections which were made were annulled by the Government, till at length they hit on the advice of admitting Sir Cyprian Horsfall to the freedom of the Corporation, and in the same day making him a Common Councilman and immediately advancing him to the Aldermanic-gown, an unprecedented piece of Civic promotion. He was then elected Mayor, and being in everyway '*conformable*,' his return to the Lord Deputy (A) received the governmental sanction. Sir Cyprian was again elected Mayor in 1620, but whether on a like pressure from the Crown or from a spontaneous act of the Corporation I have been unable to ascertain. The latter is the more probable, because in the interim between those years members of the Corporation of Kilkenny who were Catholics, appear to have enjoyed Civic offices without at least any determined opposition from the State.

Note to Memorials of the LANGTON family of Kilkenny by John G. A. Prim, Journal of the Kilkenny Archaeological Society, p. 60, Vol. v., 1864-6.

A plain mural tablet set in the wall of the ancient chapter-house, is carved with a shield bearing three horses' heads

(A)—Sir Arthur Chichester was Lord Deputy from 1604 to 1616, when Sir Oliver St. John (Lord Grandison) was appointed to that office. If Sir Cyprian was a Knight in 1616, that honour could not have been conferred upon him by Sir Thomas Wentworth, who did not fill the office of Lord Deputy until 1637.

Mr. Patrick Walters, M.A., the courteous Town Clerk of Kilkenny, who is very familiar with the Municipal Archives might be able to fix when Sir Cyprian Horsfall was knighted.

couped and bridled for Horsfall, impaling a saltire engrailed between four cross crosslets fitchée. This tablet and the uninscribed altar tomb beneath it, were erected to the memory of John Horsfall, Bishop of Ossory, who died the 13th Feby., 1609, and, according to Warle, was buried in this Cathedral "sub plano marraore."

History and Antiquities of St. Canice Cathedral, p. 286,
by Rev. James Graves and John G. A. Prim.

J. C. O'M.

HEY, OF PUDSEY AND LEEDS.—Joseph Hey, of Leeds, merchant, married on the 7th January, 1711, Elizabeth, 5th daughter of Thomas Kitchingman, of Leeds; and Samuel Hey, Mayor of Leeds in 1703, married Margaret, second daughter of the said Thomas Kitchingman. Can any correspondent inform me whether they were brothers, and in what way they were related to the Heys of Pudsey, from whom descended Richard Hey, of Radcliffe House, father of William Hey, of Leeds, Surgeon, who died 1766. I shall be glad also if a description of the Arms borne by the Leeds family of Hey can be given.

J. RUSBY, F.R. His. Soc.

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Carter, of Thorpe Audlin.

The Carters were numerous in the neighbourhood of Pontefract, and are to be met with in the records of Darrington, Aekworth, Badsworth and elsewhere; a branch, in a respectable position of life, resided at Thorpe Audlin, in Badsworth, in the 16th and 17th centuries, and the following notes have reference to them.

WILLS IN THE REGISTRY AT YORK:

Nathaniel Carter was one of the witnesses to the Will of William Dieson, of Badsworth, dated 3 May, 1507. Vol. 7, f. 63.

Nicholas Carter, of Thorpe in Badsworth, by his Will dated 10 May, 1530, desired to be buried in the Churchyard of St. Marie, Badsworth; and names his son Sir Christopher Carter; son Edmund; Robert, son of Edmund; son William Carter; Robert, son of William; and son Richard Carter. Vol. 10, f. 31.

Richard Carter, of Thorpe in Badsworth, in his Will dated 20 November, 1561, names his daughters Elizabeth, Isabel and Beatrix; son John Carter, and his wife Janet; Witness, Edmund Carter. Vol. 15, f. 85.

Francis Carter, of Thorpe Audlyn, husbandman, in his Will, dated 10 January, 1585, and proved 28 June, 1587, names his wife Janet; his sons, Edward Carter and Richard Carter; and his daughters Elizabeth, Margaret, Isabel, Ann, and Mary.

Administration to the estate of Janet Carter, of Thorpe, was granted to her son Edward, 15 May, 1590.

James Carter, the younger, of Thorpe Awdlyn, yeoman, in his Will dated 30 August, 1625, names his wife Elizabeth Carter; his son Thomas Carter; his daughter Elizabeth Carter; his brother-in-law Christopher Rasbye, of Kirk Smeaton: his uncles, James Carter, Richard Carter, and William Carter; his aunts, Margaret Padgett, and Cicily Parkinson; his father, Thomas Carter. Administration granted to Elizabeth Carter, relict, 10th December, 1625. Vol. 39, f. 287.

Thomas Carter, the elder, of Thorpe Audlin, in his Will dated 20 April, 1643, proved 17 September, 1648, names his wife Jane; his brother Richard; and Richard, Elizabeth, and Ann, children of the said Richard the elder; Sibil Stables, late wife of his brother William Carter; and William and Richard Carter, her two sons; grandchild, Thomas Carter; Alice, wife of John Towtell, William, Thomas and Jane, children of Thomas Brettaine.

Hastings Rasbye, of Ackworth, in his Will dated 1st September, 1643, and proved 28th May, 1646, names James Carter, my son-in-law, of Thorpe Audland, deceased; and Richard Haley, of Norton Priory, who married Elizabeth, the executrix of the said James Carter; grandchild Thomas Carter; and grandchild Hastings Hayley.

Will of Richard Hailey, of Norton, gent. Anne Hailey, relict, administratrix, 1655.

Court of Wards and Liveries, Record Office, London. James Carter died 5 September last, Thomas Carter, son and heir, aged 2 years and 2 days 2nd November last; marriage sold to Elizabeth Carter, the mother, and Hastings Rasby, her father, 31 January, 1625. Vol. 207 Marriages and Leases.

Indenture to Elizabeth Carter, of Thorpe, widow, and Hastings Rashby, of Kirk Smeaton, gent., of lease of lands in Ackworth, co. York, late James Carter's, deceased; and Burnell House, in the tenure of Thomas Carter, grandfather of the Ward, Thomas Carter, son and heir of the said James Carter, yeoman, deceased. Dated 12 February, 1625. Vol. 123, Indentures fo. 265.

James Carter, deceased. Lands in the tenure of Elizabeth his late wife for her life, now also deceased; Thomas Carter, son and heir, aged 10 years except 49 days the 22 August last, on which day the said Elizabeth died. Granted to Hastings Rasbie to the use of the Ward, 28 November, 1633. Vol. 209 Leases.

Lands and possessions of James Carter, of Thorpe Audelyn, deceased. Thomas Carter, son and heir. Settlement of land in Ackworth, inherited from Thomas Carter, yeoman, father of

the said James Carter, in consideration of the marriage between James Carter and Elizabeth Rasby daughter of Hastings Rasby, genos.; Robert Wilson, Christopher Rasby, and the said James Carter, parties thereto. Anno. 2 Car. 1st, Vol. 211, fo. 31.

Indenture to Hastings Rasby, of little Smeaton, gent., of lands late James Carter's, in Beckwith, to the use of the Ward, Thomas Carter, son and heir, from the 22nd August, 9 Car. 1, on which day Elizabeth Carter the Ward's mother died. Vol. 126, fo. 419.

Wardship of Cr'ofor Carter, son and heir of Thomas Carter, granted to Vnica Carter for Xli, paid 27 May, 16 Car. 1. Vol. 163, fo. 111 Ebor.

FINES AT THE RECORD OFFICE.

Michls. 10 Jac. 1, Yorkshire. Thomas Carter, Henry Cooke and William Jackson, Querents, and Robert Adams, and Dorothy his wife, deforciant of land, &c., in Ackworth and Kirksmeaton.

Easter 6 Wm. and Mary, Yorkshire. Thomas Tushingham, Querent; and William Carter, deforciant, of land in Thorpe Audlin.

MARRIAGE LICENCES AT YORK.

1629. Burghwalis. Richard Haley, of Skelbrook, and Elizabeth Carter, of Burghwalis.

1670. Skelbrook. James Carter, of Skelbrook, gent., aged 21, and Eleutheria Parker, of the same, spinster, aged 25.

EXTRACTS FROM PARISH REGISTERS.

Badsworth.

- 1584, Aug. Edmund Carter buried.
- „ Feb. 3. Christopher Carter buried..
- 1592, Nov. 22. Robertus Carter, senex, buried.
- 1622, Oct. Thomas Caverley and Elizabeth Carter, married.
- 1625, Sep. 5. James Carter, buried.
- 1630, Jan. 22. William Carter, buried.
- 1631, April 15. George Saltonstall and Jane Carter, married.
- 1634, Mar. 14. William Carter, buried.
- 1638. John Stables and Sibill Carter, married.
- 1642, Feb. 24. James Carter, of Thorpe, buried.
- 1643, June 20. Thomas Carter, senex, buried.
- 1647, Mar. 17. Richard Carter, senex, buried.
- 1648, July 3. Edward Carter and Jane Caverley, married.
- 1658, Dec. 10. Richard Carter, buried.
- 1662, Dec. 10. Edward Carter, buried.

KIRK SMEATON.

1632, April 10. William Carter and Elizabeth Walker, married.

1639, April 26. Mary, daughter of Richard Hayley, gent., baptized. J. RUSBY.

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BOWER.—The following extract from Rowland Jackson's "History of Barnsley," pub. 1858, p. 151, may be of interest to your correspondent T. D. H. It contains fuller details than those given by him on p. 166 of "The Yorkshire Genealogist," but it has no mention of a Joshua Bower.

Robert Bower, mar. 19 July, 1584, to Grace, (d. of Robert Keresforth, of Ardsley, and Margaret Ward, of Barnsley,) who was bur. 29 May, 1632; bur. 20 Oct., 1620, leaving issue—

John, Francis, d. y. Margaret, d. y. William Bower, of Barnsley, wire-drawer, bap. 24 Dec., 1587; mar. Jane [] who was bur. 18 Aug., 1632; he died—leaving issue—

Thomas, d. y., Joseph, John, Martha, Sarah, Ann, and Leonard Bower, of Barnsley, wire-drawer, bap. 27 July, 1620; died 1657, leaving issue—

William, born 22 July, 1657, d. y. Priscilla d. y.

RICHARD BOWER, bap. 19 Sept., 1592; mar. Ann Parkinson, 9 Nov., 1618, who was bur. 15 Jan., 1645; died 1649, leaving issue—

Richard Bower, bap. 3 April, 1622; Robert d. y., Ellen.

ROBERT BOWER, mar. firstly, Janet Robinson, on 19 June, 1620, by whom he had issue—

Benjamin, James d. y., Edward, George, Rebecca, Elizabeth, Robert bap. 3 June, 1629.

He married secondly, Sarah Beaumont, 23 Decr., 1639, by whom he had issue—

Robert d. y., Richard, Nathaniel, Martha, Mary d. y.

The wife of John Keresforth was Elizabeth, dau. of Thomas Bosvile (not Bosoile) of New Hall. Their son, John Keresforth, of Wombwell, mar. Barker of Dore, co. Derby; their son Robert Keresforth, of Ardsley, mar. Margaret Ward, of Barnsley, who was bur. 24 Sep., 1595. Their children were Gabriel; Jane; Grace, who mar. Robert Bower; Robert, d. y.; and Elizabeth.

J. T. S.

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OLD YORKSHIRE M.P.'s.

(See pp. 177—186.)

HENRY BELLASIS, jun., M.P. for Thirsk, 1625-1626. Yorkshire, 1628-9, 1640, and 1640-53, till disabled as a Royalist; was grandson of Sir Henry Bellasis, and being son of Thomas, 1st Baron Fauconberg, died in his father's life-time. ? date of decease.

SIR JOHN BELLASIS, afterward Lord Belasyse, M.P. for Thirsk in 1640. Did not represent that constituency in 1620-1, the name being there a misprint for Sir John Gibson.

WILLIAM BENNETT, M.P. for Ripon, 1592-3, was admitted a Student of Grays Inn, Jan. 31, 1583-4, being therein described as "of Berks."

HENRY BENSON, sat for Knaresborough, 1625-6, 1628-9, and in both Parliaments of 1640, till expelled in 1641 for granting Protections. In the Return he is described as "of Knaresborough. I should be obliged by some particulars of him. [*v.* Lord Bingley.]

RICHARD BENYON, M.P. for Pontefract 1802-6. Was only son of Richard Benyon, of Englefield House, Berks, and of Gidea Hall, Essex, (M.P. for Peterborough, 1774-96.) His sister married George, 4th Viscount Midleton. He took the surname of Powlett-Wright in 1814, and that of De Beauvoir in 1822. Married, 27 Sep., 1797, Elizabeth, only dau. of Sir Francis Sykes, of Basildon Park, Bart. Died s.p. in 1854.

GEORGE BERKELEY, M.P. for Hedon, 1734-41 and 1742, till decease. Had previously represented Hythe, 1720-34. He was 4th son of the 2nd Earl of Berkeley. Died s.p. Oct. 29, 1746.

THOMAS BEST, M.P. Ripon in 1625-6, (not 1620.) Was of Wath, near Richmond. He married in 1618, Olive, dau. of Sir John Mallory, of Studley Royal. Buried at Wath in 1654. His son George purchased Leith Hall, Surrey, and founded the Bests there.

HUGH BETHELL. The various members (if more than one) of this name, elected temp. the Commonwealth and Restoration period are somewhat confusing. Subject to correction I am disposed to place them as follows:

Hugh Bethell, Esq., M.P., co. York, 1654-5.

Hugh Bethell, Junr., Esq., " 1656-8.

Col. Hugh Bethell, M.P., Hedon, 1660.

Sir Hugh Bethell, Knt., of Rise, M.P., Hedon, 1661-78, 1678-9, 1679 till decease in October, 1679.

These I believe to refer to one and the same person, i.e. Hugh, eldest son of Hugh Bethell, of Rise, who died in 1658. I should like to ask by whom was he knighted, and what authority is there for placing it on Dec. 29, 1658? Neither Metcalf in his *Book of Knights* prior to 1660, nor Le Neve in his *Catalogue* after 1660, mentions him. Of course if his knighthood was of royal creation in 1658, he could not be the member for Hedon in 1660.



HUGH BETHELL, Esq., M.P. for Knaresborough 1660. I strongly suspect that if not the same person as the last, and thus elected for two places in one Parliament, he would be his son Hugh who according to Burke died in 1677; it seems before his father.

HUGH BETHELL, Esq., M.P. for Hedon, 1695-98, 1698-1700; was, I take it, the nephew and heir of Sir Hugh Bethell of Rise. He died in 1716.

HUGH BETHELL, Esq., M.P. for Pontefract 1715-22, was the son of the last, and died in 1752.

HUGH BETHELL, Esq., M.P. for Beverley 1760 till decease in 1772, was son of the last.

From the above it will be seen that these were all of the family of Bethell of Rise. But I should like to know more about the Ellerton branch. When and with whom did it fail? I find a Sir Hugh Bethell knighted in 1604, whom I take to be Sir Hugh, of Ellerton, who according to Foster's Yorkshire Visitations, was Surveyor to Q. Elizabeth in the East Riding, and was living in 1584. Sir Walter Bethell, his son, who died in 1622, was knighted in 1617, while another Sir Hugh Bethell was knighted in 1628. This last I presume was the eldest son of Sir Walter, who married Frances Frankland and died in 1662. According to the Visitation he was 7 years old in 1612, so must have been knighted when about 23. I shall be glad if R. V. T. or some other of your correspondents can enlighten me as to this line. It would largely help to elucidate the identity of the Yorkshire M.P.'s of the name.

W. D. PINK.

BENTLEY—Will any reader kindly oblige with any information about Jeremy Bentley, who was a native of Elland, and the first M.P. for Halifax some time during the 17th Century.

A. DYSON.

BERESFORD.—Accuracy being most desirable, I think it well to send a correction of two or three slight mistakes in the latest part of your "Yorkshire Genealogist." P. 181—Marcus Gervais Beresford, D.D., died not long since, having been promoted from Kilmore, Elphin, and Ardagh, to the Archbishopric of Armagh and Primacy of all Ireland, in succession to his cousin, Lord John George Beresford, D.D.

P. 181—George de la Poer Beresford, D.D., was Bishop of Kilmore and Ardagh, not Armagh.

P. 181—John de la Poer Beresford, 4th Marquess of Waterford, in holy orders, has been omitted. His son, John Henry, is the present and 5th Marquess.

P. 192, in last line, read *Boley, Monkstown, co. Dublin.*

B. H. B.

HANSON, *correction*.—[Authorities:—Higson's Gorton. Procter's Manchester Streets. Pink's M.P. for Lancashire. Baines, Vol. II., Pt. 1. Miall's Cong. in Yorkshire. Northowram Register.]
1 Feb., 1727.

Reverend Samuel Hanson	— Mary, daughter	— John Jepson, of
Born at Wyke, 1693.	Richard Foster,	Dewsbury, 1st
Minister of the Presbyterian	of Ossett, Born	husband, marr.
Chapels at Ossett, 17	Died Aug.	Aug. 11, 1720,
1732, & Gorton, 1732-63.	24, 1760, aged	Died Aug. 6,
Died Nov. 28, 1763, aged 70.	66.	1725.

Elizabeth	— William Hanson, Esq.	— Mary.	Elizabeth	1742.
Died	Merchant & Silk Manu-	Died	Jepson, = John	June 10,
Aug. 29,	facturer, Born at Man-	March	'of Gorton' Grim-	
1769,	chester 1728. Died Dec.	12, 1822	shaw.	
aged 32,	1st, 1798, aged 69. Bur.	aged 72. Bur. at Stand.		
Bur. at	at Stand.	Announced as 12 Mar.,		
Stand.		1821 in <i>Mch. Herald</i> for - year		

Joseph	William	Elizabeth	Sarah	Edward	
Hanson, Esq.,	Hanson,	Died Nov.	Hanson	Hanson = Elizabeth	
Colonel, Man-	Died Mch.	18, 1787,	eld. dau.	of Man-	Died
chester Vol-	31, 1791.	at 8 mon's	Marr. 31	chester,	Mch. 1,
unteers; and	aged 13.	Bur. at	Aug.,	Gent.	1823,
Weavers'	Bur. at	Stand.	1812,	contested	aged 35.
Friend. Con-	Stand.		Joseph	Preston,	Bur. at
tested Preston	James died		Dennison	1812.	Stand.
1807. Died	May 3,		of		
Sep. 3, 1811,	1787.		Rusholme		
aged 37. Bur.	Bur. at				
at Stand.	Stand.				

E. A. A.

LYTH.—Richard Bardsall Lyth, of whom a brief notice appeared in Y. N. and Q., Apr. 1886, has since died, Feb. 27, 1887. The family stem exhibited in that Part shews his connexion with a stock long established in the East Riding and the City of York. His father was a Member of the Merchants' Guild in that City, and of the unreformed Corporation. R. B. Lyth was educated for the medical profession, entering at Guy's Hospital, and taking his diploma as M.R.C.S. and the Licence of Apothecaries' Hall. He was on the point of commencing practice in York, when he responded to the call for a Medical Missionary to the Pacific, and proceeded to the Friendly Islands in 1836. But his best work was done in the Fijian group, where he spent many years in pioneer work. The islands were grossly cannibal; cruelty and war were on all hands prevailing; and, as in the case of his many excellent colleagues, his life was, especially during the first few years, in constant peril.

So deeply did Captain Wilkes, of the U.S. Navy,—afterwards well known in the affair of the *Trent*,—feel the position of the mission families when he visited them, that he begged to be allowed to remove them, but the offer was not accepted. The medical skill of Mr. Lyth proved of the utmost value to the missionaries of the group, and gave him a commanding influence over even heathen chiefs and people. At the death of the well-known missionary, John Hunt, Mr. Lyth became Chairman of the District, and had the joy of seeing Christianity make an almost complete conquest of the Islands before he left them. The great chief, Thakombau, became Christian just as Mr. Lyth was quitting the field. His greatest and most productive work was the raising up and direction of a native ministry, many of the men of his training becoming in their turn missionaries to other groups of Polynesia. For three years he was governor of the Wesleyan College, Auckland, N. Z., and for five years, returning to mission work after a term of service in England, was Chaplain to the Wesleyan soldiers in the garrison of Gibraltar. For some years he resided at Woodbridge, Suffolk, working under the direction of the B. and F. Bible Society. He had a very accurate knowledge of the Fijian language, and wrote it with idiomatic correctness. The Poetical Books of the O.T. in the current Fijian Bible are almost entirely his work, and the whole of the remaining books were carefully revised by him. (W. B. Lyth, and not R. B. L., is the author of the small book referred to, April, 1886, p. 56.) He died at Fulford, near York, in his 77th year. His wife was third daughter of John Hardy, of Apperley Bridge, Preston, and York, whose father, James Hardy, of Horsforth, was brother of John H., of Bradford, d. June 3, 1806, one of the founders of the Low Moor Iron Works, and grandfather of Lord Cranbrook.

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The following notes from the Probate Records at Albany, N.Y., may be of interest to Shepherds in Yorkshire:—

JOHN SHEPHERD of Philadelphia, Merchant Taylor, devises property in trust to his wife Elizabeth, Oct. 10, 1795, and she, dying in 1797, divides the estate between their relatives $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$, viz:—His parents, John and Mary Shepherd, of Firbe, Yorkshire, England. His brothers, Matthew, Mark, George, Edward and William.—His sisters, Mary and Elizabeth. To John, son of Edward Shepherd, £500 for his education.—To Wm., son of David Waters.—Elizb. Latimer, of N.Y.,—Hannah Garrison, of Albany:—Mary Shepherd Latimer, dau. of Elizb.:—brother Wm. G. Bell, of Philadelphia,—John Gillard, of Ripon, Yorkshire,—Elizb., w. of James Smith, of Albany,—John Lauring, son of Abm. G. Lauring, of Albany,—Francis Shepherd Sim, son of Peter Sim, of Lauringburgh.—A ring to Dr. Wilhelmus

Mancius, of Albany. Surplus for the poor of the Presbyterian Church at Albany.—David Waters, merchant, and Jno. N. Henry, lawyer, both of Albany, excors.—Proven Sept. 14, 1797.
E. N. SHEPPARD, Jersey City, U.S.A.

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GRAVES (*continued.*)

	HYPROM.	RASTRYK.	SKAMMYNDENE.
1525	Rich. Sunderland & John Haldesworth	Thos. Sayvile	Robt. Denton
1526	John Wilby	Edwd. fryth	Ric. Hey
1527	Ric. Rooks po lo Ric. Stanclyf	Edwd. fryth	
1528	John Boy	Edwd. fryth	Ric. Heghe
1529	Matthew Oglethorpe	Edwd. fryth	Ric. Heghe
1530	Robt. Boy p'o lo Henry Batt	Thos. fryth po lo Edward ff.	Robt. Denton
1531	Robt. Burgh John Barestowe & Edwd. Stanclyf, <i>pro locus</i> (substitute) Hen. Batte	John Hanson	Ric. Heghe
1532	John Ryssheworth po lo Hen Batt	John firth	Ric. Hey
1533	John Boy po lo Hen Batt	John Goodale & Thos. Sayvell	Thos. Bothomley
1534	Ricus Rokes	Thos. Sayvel	[Ed.] Hoyle
1535	Matthew Oglethorp	Thos. Sayvell de Eckysley	George Hoyle
1537	Cristof. Boethes	Edw. firth	Edw. Hey
1539	John Boy po lo Hen Batt	Hugo Savell	Wm. Denton
1540	John Otes po lo Hen Batt	Thos. Sayvell de Eckesley	Wm. Denton
1541	Ric. Clyff	Thos. Sayvell de Eckesley	Wm. Bothomley
1542	Robt. Burgh po lo Hen Batt	Thos. firth for Hepworthland po lo Rob firth	Barnard Denton
1543	Ric. Sundreland Ed- wd. Stanclyf & John Barestowe for lands and tenements of Wm. Boithe	Thos. fil & her firth	Edwd. Hey
1544	Mathew Oglesthorpe po lo H. Batt	John Hanson	George Hoile
1546	Wm. & Geo. Boythe po lo H. Batt	Martin ffoxcroft, po lo Jacobus frater (his bro.)	Edwd. Hey

	HYPROM.	RASTRYK.	SKAMMYNDENE.
1547	John Redynge po lo H. Batt	Thos. firith of But (h)roide & Thos. firith of Rastrick	Edwd. Hey
1548	Henry ———		
1549	John & Rob. Boye, po lo Hen. Batt	Thos. Clayton po lo Thos. firith	Wm. Bothomley po lo Wm. Den- ton
1550	Ric. Northende po lo Hen. Batt	Thos. Clayton	Wm. Denton
1551	John Boy & Jas. Otes	Thos. firthe de Boteroide	John Grene po lo W. Bothomley
1552	Ric. Sunderland & Ric. Haldesworth de Addersgate, po lo Edw. Wodde	Jas. Waterhous de Briggeroide	John Oldefeld
1553	Edwd. Wilby po lo Edw. Wodde	Thos. ffoxcroft	Margt. Hey, Vid.
1554	John Haldesworth & John Drake	John Gooder & Martin ffoxcroft	George Hoile
1555	John Boy	John & Martin ffoxcroft	Geo. Hoile
1559	John Ryssheworth	John Hanson	Wm. Denton po Edw. Denton
1560	()	Edwd. Hey	Wm. Denton
1562	Clement Oglethorpe Gent., po lo Rob. Brighouse	Martin ffoxcroft	John firthe
1563	John Boythes, aux- iliat Thos. fil Thos. ffourness	Robt. Rommesden in iure uxis	Thos. ffoxcroft po lo John Boythe
1564	Geo. Boythes	John, Martin, & Thos. ffoxcroft, for Totehill	Edwd. Hey
1565	Robt. (Goodall) ? Ou'all & Edwd. Hole po lo Edw. Hemmingway	Thos. Clayton	Edwd. Hey
1566	Wm. Boy po lo Arthur Boy	Thos. Clayton, of Clayton Hall, auxil. John Han- son	Edwd. & Ric. Hey & John Smith
1567	John Otes, John Northende, Senr., John Northende, Junr., John Hal- desworth, & Thos. Whitley, ppositi,	Thos. firith	

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| | for lands of Brian
Otes, po lo John
Waterhouse | | |
| 1568 | Robt. Ourall po lo
Edw. Hemnyngway, | Jas. Waterhous & John Key
John Hanson | |
| 1569 | Robt. Burgh | Thos. Henryson, Wm. Denton
NicholasHenryson
& John Smith | |
| 1570 | At this Court came Ric. Sunderland in his proper person and petitioned that Ric. Sunderland, Ric. Barestowe and Edwd. Stancliffe, are elected graves for Hippholme for this p—sent yeare, viz. the (sd) Ric. Sunderland for the one half and the sd. Ric. Bairstowe and Edward Stancliffe for (other) half, and for the yere begynnyng in October, in Ann. Dm. 1573, are to be elect graves for Hippholme, Rich. Sunderland for the one half and Ric. Haldesworth for the other half, as the said psons did all confesse and agre vpon before Edward Longbothome & Ric. Best the 1st of Octr. inst. | | |
| 1570 | Ric. Sunderland &
Ric. Haldesworth | Martin ffoxcroft &
John Goodall, po
lo John Hanson
de Wodhous | Wm. Denton po
lo John Hanson |
| 1571 | hered Edi Rishworth
viz.—Wm. Ogles-
thorpp, Gent., po lo
John Hanson, Sen. | John Hanson, Sen.
& Rich. Whiteleigh | John Hopkinson,
po lo John Han-
son, Senr., of
Wodhouse |
| 1572 | Ric. Haldesworth,
for a moiety, & John
Haldesworth, Rob.
Bentley & Michael
Drake for other
moiety of land
nup <i>er</i> Symmes | Ric. Whiteleigh &
John Hanson, Sen.
for Netherwodhous | George firth, po
lo Jacobus
Whittacres |
| 1573 | John Craven, Rob.
Boothes, & Wm.
flourness for lands
of Wm. Boothes po
lo John Craven | Robt. Romsden &
Thos. firth de
Boothroide | Thos. ffoxcroft po
lo John Hanson |
| 1574 | Henry Cockerofte po
lo John Hanson | Robt. Romsden | Geo. Hoole |
| 1575 | hered Ric. Otes, viz.
John Haldesworth
de — Nicholas
Jackson, John
Northend de ffold
& hered — Boy,
prpositi | John Hanson, Sen. | Geo. Hoile. |

	HYPROM.	RASTRYK.	SKAMMYNDENE.
1576	Wm. Boy	hered Edw. Hey, viz. John Malyn- son for 2 parts & Thos. & Nich. Hanson for third part	Edwd. Hey, po lo John Hanson, Senr.
1577	[Robt. Northend]	Ric. —	Edwd. Hey
1578	Wm. Boy & Jas. Otes	Ric. ffoxcroft auxil Thos. Hanson for 3 closes & c. Midd- leyage, Osbarne & Rydinge	John Kaye, po lo Ric. Showe
1579	Rob. Bentley, Thos. Roper, & c. for lands nup. John Haldes- worth's de Ather- ishgate & Abraham Sunderland p. ten. nup. Ric. S. de H. Sunderland, po lo Ths. Barrowclough	Rob. Romsden, yom, in iure ux	Edwd. Denton, po lo Ric. Showe
1580	Ric. Kentte for Wilbye land	Edwd. Hanson & Thos. fil for part of Michael ffox- croft's land & Alice ffoxcroft for other, viz. a mess. & bovat in Toot- hill, po lo for Alice- John Malynson	Edwd. Denton, po lo Ric. Shawe
1581	John Haldesworth de Blakey & John fil Gilbt. Drake	Thos. Broke de New hous for Thos. Clayton lands po lo John fil Edwd. ffox	John Hopkinson, po lo Ric. Shawe
1582	John fil & her Wm. Boy, po lo John Haldesworth	John Hanson, Sen. for land nup Hugh Toitehill, Thos. Hanson de Ras- trick, Edwd. Han- son & Thos. fil. & Thos. Brokesbank	George firth
1583	Ric. Saltonstall, ter. nup. Oglethorpp, & John Haldesworth de Astay, for his lands in Hipp.,	Robt. firth	Thos. ffoxcroft de Batley, po lo Ric. Shagh

	HYPROM.	RASTRYK.	SKAMMYDENE.
	Edwd. Brodelee, po lo for R. Saltonstall		
1584	Ric. Boy	John Hanson, for customary lands in Wodhous & Wm. Walker & Maria ux. & Grace Waterhous for Bridgroid	George Hoile
1585	Henry Burgh, Gent. Robt. Hemmyng- way de Walter- cloughe, Edwd. Stancliffe & Edwd. Bairstowe for land in Northowm.	Thos. Hanson de Brighous & Nic- holas his brother for lauds in ten. of ux John Malyn- son; John Malyn- son fil said John & Robt. ffox for Edw. Hey's lands	George Hoyle
1586	Ric. Sunderland, for lands formerly John Risshworth's de Coley, po lo Edwd. Shawe.	Thos. Goodheir Ric ffoxcroft & Thos. Hanson de Ras- trick, Edwd. Han- son & John Hanson Jun. for ter. Ric. ffoxcroft	Michael Wodhead
1587	John fil & her Wm. Boye defunct po lo Edw. Shawe	Edwd. Hanson & John Hanson, Sen for Nether Wood- house po lo John Hanson, Jun.	Michael Wodhead po lo Ric Shawe
1588	John Haldesworth & John Drake de Northowram ppi. for land formerly Roks & John Drake	John Hanson, Sen. & Edw. Hanson for Nether Wod- house po lo John Hanson, Jun.	Michael Hopkin- son for Croft- house
1589	Ric. Saltonstall de Civ., London, p. lands nup. W. Og- lesthorpp, po lo Robt. Brighous	Robt. Romsden, Gent., lands in Rastrick, & Robt. ffirth for Bothe- royd	John Kay de Lockwod for Heyfeild
1590	Richd. Sunderland, Gent., and John Gleidhill de Bark- esland, Gent., in jure ux. po lo Edw. Shawe	Robt. Romsden, po lo Hen fil (Henry, his son, Deputy.)	Edwd. Denton for Egerton, po lo Thos. Denton

	HYPOM.	RASTRYK.	SKAMMYNDENE.
1591	Robt. Booth de Boothe Towne, aux- il. Geo. Booth, cl'ic. & John Cosyn, p. 4 ac. tre nup. Geo. Booth. Rob. Brig- hous deputy for Rob. Booth.	John Hanson, Sen. & Jun. for Ou'r Wod hous lands	Thos. Denton

Capt. Langdale Sunderland.



After long and diligent search, we have discovered that a portrait in oil exists of Capt. Langdale Sunderland, the eminent Yorkshire Royalist, who served under his maternal relative Sir Marmaduke Langdale. Though the family suffered considerably under the Commonwealth and by neglect at the Restoration, the descendants of the high-minded Royalist are still to be found in England and New Zealand in affluent circumstances. As will be seen by the accompanying copy, the picture was evidently made when he was young.

On page 10 of the Editor's edition of "The Life of Captain Hodgson," will be found a first attempt at the completed pedigree of the Sunderlands of Coley; and a view of High Sunderland, with a history of the ancient homestead, appears in *Yorkshire Notes and Queries*, page 69. The following copy (*ante* date 1700,) is from the Herald's College:—

Richard Sunderland of High Sunderland, near Halifax, Co. York, married Lucretia, d. of — Leventhorp. Their son was Abraham Sunderland, of High Sunderland, gent., who married Judith, d. of Thos. Oldfield. Their son—Richard Sunderland, of High Sunderland, gent., married (1) Mary, d. of Robert Moore, of Midgeley, co. York, and had a son, Abraham Sunderland, married Susan, d. of Ralph Waterhouse, of Burstall, and had a son who died an infant. Richard married (2) Anne, d. and h. of John Rishworth, of Riddlesden and Coley, co. York, Esq., and had issue—(a) Agnes m. Robert Deane. (b) Jennet m. Robert Hemmingway. (c) Richard Sunderland, of High Sunderland and Coley, Esq., 2nd s. and h. of Richard, who was Justice of the Peace and Treasurer for maimed soldiers, 7th K. James. He died 1634. He married Mary, [Susan, Harl. MS. 4630] d. of Sir Richard Saltonstall, Kt., Lord Mayor of London 1597, by Susanna, d. of Thomas Poyntz. Their issue were—(a) Abraham S., of H. S., Esq., eldest s. and h., and Barrister-at-Law of the Middle Temple, J.P. for W. R. co. York. He, adhering to the King's party tempora per Duellionis in 1643, left High S. and for his greater security, retired to Pontefract Castle, where he died, 25th March, 1644, during the siege, and lieth interred in the Church there. He married Elizabeth, d. of Peter Langdale, of Beverley and Pighull, co. York.* (b) Robert S., of Turkey, merchant, d. unmarried, bur. at Hx., 1623, with arms on his gravestone. (c) Peter S., of Fairweather Green, near Bradford, co. York, left certain lands and tenements to pious uses. Died 24 Dec., 1677, s.p. Mary, d. of Richard Buck, Esq., near Bradford, was his 1st wife. Grace, d. of Lawrence Buck, 2nd wife. [She afterwards married R. Shuttleworth.] (d) Samuel S., of Harden, co. York, aged 67, Aug., 1665, s.p. He left certain lands and tenements ad usus pious, died 4th Feb., 1676-7, aged 76, and was buried at Bingley 8th of the same month. He married Ann, d. of Edward Waterhouse, of Priestley, co. York, Esq. (e) Richard S., clerk, 4th son. (f) Susan S. m. Wm. Beilby, of Micklethwaite Grange and Killerby, Yk., Esq. (g) Mary S., 2nd d., m. Edward Parker, of Browsholme, co. York, Esq. (h) Judith S. d. unmarried, twin with Peter.

Abraham S. by Elizabeth Langdale had issue—Anne Sunderland, died unmarried, and Langdale Sunderland, of Aykton, co. York, Esq., s. and h. of Abraham, was Captain of a troop

* And Father of Marmaduke, 1st Lord Langdale.

of horse under Marmaduke, the late Lord Langdale, then in the service of King Charles the 1st, in which he was shot and wounded. [He is said to have served at Marston and Worcester, and to have been with Charles II. at Boscobel.] He suffered sequestration and imprisonment from the disloyal party. He was buried at Featherstone, near Pontefract, 9th of November, 1698, aged 77. By Elizabeth, d. of Thomas Thornhill, co. York, Esq., 1st wife, he had issue—(a) Marmaduke S., born at Aikton, bap. Aug. 1, 1652; buried July 29, 1653, at Featherstone. (b) Abraham S., buried at Featherstone, Aug. 5, 1673. [Bap. at Elland, 1650. They buried at Elland, in 1649, a son Richard, 9 March, and an infant on 13 June.—J.H.T.] (c) Bryan Sunderland, 3rd s. and h., born 25, bap. 28 of May, 1654. Buried at Pontefract, 22 July, 1730. (See A) (d) Two children born and buried, 9 Feb., 1655. By Elizabeth or Alice, d. of Thomas Hippon, (of Featherstone, near Pontefract, co. York, Esq., by Anne, d. and hs. of John Horncastle, of Featherstone, aforesaid, buried there 26 Feb., 1706.) his second wife, L. S. had issue—(e) Richard S., b. 3, bap. 16 Dec., 1678, buried 28 March, 1699, at F. (f) Abraham S., b. 13, bap. 20 June, 1680, buried 16 Feb., 1681, at F. (g) Samuel S., of Bradley, in ph. of Kildwick, b. and bap. May 7, 1682, and buried Jan. 30, 1753. (See B.) (h) Judith S., bap. 9 April, 1674, married June 11, 1695, Edward Stanhope, of Nostell, Esq. (i) Susanna S., b. 19, bap. 29 Feb., 1675, died unmarried, and buried at Featherstone, 16 June, 1756. (j) Elizabeth S., b. at Featherstone, bap. 13 Sep., 1677, married — Coates, of Pontefract, co. York, M.D.

A. Bryan, Esq., m. (1) Anne, d. of Sir Matthew Appleyard, Bt., issue—*Peter*, bur. at Fetherston, 1727, m. Anne, d. Thos. Thornhill, issue—Richard, of Aikton, Esq., b. 3rd, bap. 13th Oct., 1708, bur. at Featherston, 27 March, 1737. *Peter*, bap. 14 Sep., 1709, bur. 21 July, 1711. Langdale, bap. 12 June, 1724, bur. 20 Sep., 1728. Anne, bap. 5 Dec., 1711, m. (1) John Wordsworth, gent, d. 1731: (2) Thos. Sunderland, her cousin. Elizabeth, bap. 11 May, bur. at F. on 15th, 1713. Jane, bap. 8 June, 1715, bur. at F., 14 Nov., 1735. Frances, bap. 29 Jan., 1717, bur. at F., 2 Sep., 1717. Susanna, bap. 27 March, 1719, m. (1) on 3 Nov., 1736, John Wormald, Batley: (2) John Todd, Newstead, Esq. Bryan S. m. (2) Susan Adams, of Rowcliffe, issue—(a) *John*, of Doncaster, Esq., b. at Aikton, bap. 8 April, 1679, m. Ann England, 18 July, 1699, issue—*John*, d. unmarried at age of 21. A daughter m. Col. Foley, of Foot Guards. Catherine m. Sir George Cooke, of Wheatley, Bt. (b) *Marmaduke*, bap. 21 March, 1687, bur. 26 Aug., 1699. (c) *Mary*, bur. at F., 8 May, 1682, aged 1 day. (d) *Mary*, bap. 23 Sep., 1683. (e) *Elizabeth*, bap. 15 April, 1686. (f) *Susannah*, bap. 8 Nov., 1688.

B. Samuel S., of Bradley, in Kildwick, gent., bap. at F., 7 May, 1682, bur. at Badsworth, 25 April, 1742, mar. Elizabeth, d. of Samuel Jenkinson, of Hodgswick, Notts., (bur. at Badsworth, 30 Jan., 1753,) and had 12 children:—

I. Langdale, of Bradley, Esq., Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Newcastle-on-Tyne, b. at Featherstone, 7 May, 1706. He married a 2nd wife at an advanced age, no issue by her. He died at Newcastle. By his first wife, Elizabeth, d. and h. of Henry Forster, of Ukerby, Yorkshire, Esq., and relict of Thomas Burdon, Esq., of co. Durham, he had three children—Langdale, twin with Elizabeth, b. at Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Elizabeth, mar. Thomas Denison, Esq., of Leeds. She died a widow at Bath, 1815, leaving an only son, Thomas Denison, Esq., of co. York.

Forster, b. at Newcastle, died in infancy.

II. Samuel, b. at Rogerthorpe, in Badsworth, 30 Aug., 1709, bur. 4 Oct., 1719.

III. John, b. at Rogerthorpe, bap. Jan. 15, 1710-11, died at Whittington Hall, on 15th, bur. 19th Nov., 1782. J.P. for Lancashire. Mar. Mary, d. and h. of Thomas Rawlinson, of Whittington Hall, Esq., she died at Ulverston, 28 July, 1798, was bur. at Whittington. *Ætat* 77. (See C.)

IV. Richard, b. at Rogerthorpe, bap. 26 May, 1712; in the Colour trade, London; bur. at Cork in Ireland. Mar. Elizabeth Duell and had issue—

John, born in London, died in infancy.

Elizabeth, born at Croydon, Surrey, after her father's death. Mar. in Nov., 1765, Joseph Pickford, of Royton Hall, co. Lancaster, Esq., who afterwards took the name of Radcliffe, and removed to Milnesbridge House, near Huddersfield. She died there. [He was J.P., and became a Baronet.]

V. Peter, b. at Rogerthorpe, bap. Aug. 12, 1713; of Billingley, in Yorkshire, died unmarried.

VI. Thomas, b. at Rogerthorpe, March 3, 1717; of Bigland Hall, Lancashire, bur. at Cartmel. He married first Anne, d. of Peter and Anne Sunderland, of Aikton, widow of John Wordsworth, gent. She was buried at Featherstone, 28 Aug., 1749. He married secondly Mary, d. of John Fox, of Whitehaven, gent., widow of George Bigland, of Bigland Hall, Esq. She was buried at Cartmel. His children were—

(1) Samuel, b. at Featherston, bap. 10 Sep., 1747.

(2) Anne, b. at F., 28 Aug., 1746, living in 1816.

(3) Mary, b. at F., March, 1748, mar. John Askew, D.D., Rector of Cadbury, in Somerset; died without issue.

(1) Peter, b. at Bigland, 31 July, 1754, became *non comp.* ment., living 1816. By second wife.

- (2) Langdale, b. at Bigland, 10 March, 1756, bur. at Cartmel, Jan., 1760.
- (3) John, b. at Bigland, 29 Dec., 1760; died in North America.
- (4) Langdale, b. at Bigland, 1764, M.D. Bur. at Cartmel; mar. Miss Dodgson, no issue.
- (5) Elizabeth, b. at Bigland, 11 March, 1758, mar. (1) Wm. Russel, of Keen Ground, near Hawkshead; mar. (2) — Deake, clerk, M.A., Rector of Ensor, Chaplain to the Duke of Devonshire. She died at Ensor.
- (6) Sarah, b. at Bigland, 12 Nov., 1762, mar. John Tipping Senhouse, of Calder Abbey, Cumberland, Esq., died there a widow, leaving four daughters—Mary, Ellen, Sarah and Elizabeth.

VII. Olivia, b. at Featherston, 30 Dec., 1703; mar. 9 May, 1727, Thomas Sale, of Wentbridge, co. York, gent., issue—Benjamin, only son, and a daughter, Olivia.

VIII. Elizabeth, b. at Featherston, bap. 10 May, bur. 10 June, 1705.

IX. Mary, b. at Featherston, bap. 27 Jan., 1708, bur. at Badsworth, 17 Dec., 1732.

X. Penelope, b. at Rogerthorpe, 17 Jan., 1714.

XI. Susanna, b. at Rogerthorpe, 17 Jan., 1716.

XII. Catherine, b. at Rogerthorpe, bap. 27 Oct., 1720; mar. 28 Feb., 1742, William Barraclough; no issue.

C. John S. m. Mary Rawlinson, issue—*Thomas*, b. at Whittington, 3 Nov., 1744, of Whittington Hall, and Little Croft, near Ulverston, Esq., J.P., D.L., Lt. Col. Commander of battalion of Volunteers, 1803; died at Little Croft, 1821, bur. at Ulverston. He married Anne, d. and h. Wm. Dickson, of Beckbank, in Cumberland, Esq. Bur. at Ulverston, 12 April, 1809, aged 66, next par. *Samuel*, born in London, 26 Aug., 1751, died in infancy. *Judith*, b. at Whittington Hall, 15 May, 1741, mar. Aug., 1755, Edward Gregge, Esq., Chamber Hall, Lancaster, who took the name Hopwood. She died at Hopwood Hall and was buried at Middleton, in Lancashire, leaving an only son and three daughters.

Thomas, above mentioned, had issue—(a) John, clerk, M.A., b. at Little Croft, 21, bap. 23 Aug., 1769, Incumbent of Ulverston and Pennington, Rector of Wiveliscombe, Somerset. He mar. (1) Anne, d. Edward King, Esq., of Askham Hall, Westmoreland, Vice Chancellor of D. of Lancr. She died 1816, aged 81, bur. at Ulverston. (2) Mary Elizabeth, d. — Morland, Esq., co. Westmoreland. She died s.p. at Leghorn, 1871. (b) *Thomas*, b. at Little Croft, bap. 29 May, 1774. Entered the Army. Mar. Catherine, y. d. of Lt. Col. Campbell, Blackheath. No issue. (c) *Eleanora*, b. at L. Croft 28 Feb., bap. 3 March, 1771, bur. at Ulverston; unmar. (d) *Mary*, b. at L. Croft, bap. 16 Aug., 1772;

mar. in 1804, Hon. Wm. Lumley, K.G.C.B., Brig. Gen., y. son of 4th E. of Scarbro. Died at L. Croft, July, 1807, bur. at Ulverston; no issue. (e) Anne, b. at L. Croft, 2 June, 1776; mar. 29 July, 1799, Heary Askew, clerk, A.M., Rector of Greystoke, co. Cumberland; d. 1851, issue—Henry, Anne, Elizabeth and Eleanor.

John, by Anne King, had issue—(1) Thomas, b. at Little Croft, Oct. 22, 1807. Bur. at Ulverston, 1867, aged 59; unmarried. (2) Edward, b. at Little Croft, Dec. 17, 1808. Lt. Col. Royal Artillery (Bengal). Mar. Frances Austin, of Dublin, issue—Mary Henrietta, b. in India, mar. Capt. John Theobald, (1857.) Annie Eliza Plantagenet, b. on shipboard. Catherine, b. at Bath. (3) John, b. in Ulverston, d. inf. (4) George Henry Carleton S., b. at Ulverston, 3 May, 1814, Commander R.N., D.L., built Swarthdale in 1851; bur. at Ulverston, Dec., 1876. Mar. Margaret, d. and col. of Lt. Col. D. Story, R.A., d. 1860, at Brussels. (5) Anne, b. at Ulverston, 1811, bur. there 1819.

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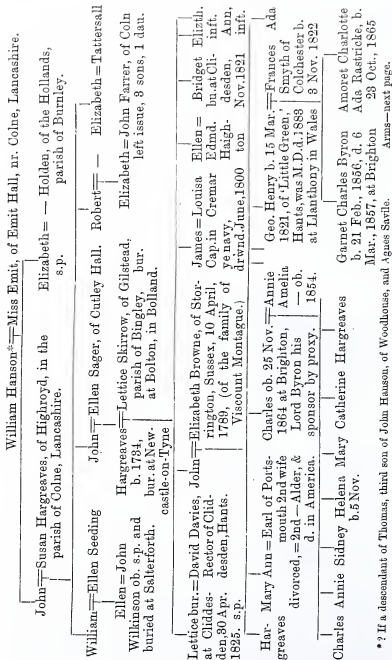


zling to make out. Does Mr. Pink know of G. R. Park's Parliamentary Representation of Yorkshire, published in 1886?

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BELASYSE.—My pedigree of the Belasyse family states Henry Belasyse, eldest son of Sir Thomas Belasyse, 1st Viscount Fauconberg, to have died *vita Patris*, 1647.

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Hanson, of Rastrick.



Wood, of Holling Hall.

The Rev. Basil Kilvington Wood was born at Aldborough Manor, Yorkshire, September 15, 1842. He was educated at Harrow and at Trinity College, Cambridge. He took his degree as LL.B., 1864; was ordained a Deacon at Ely on Advent Sunday, December 3rd, 1865, and took Priest's orders at Ely on the 4th Sunday in Advent, December 23rd, 1866, by Harold Browne, then Bishop of Ely. He served as curate to the Rev. F. G. Vesey, All Saints, Huntingdon, from January, 1866, to March, 1867. He married (April 24, 1867) Esther Harriett, 2nd daughter of the Rev. Edmund Hollond, of Benhall Lodge, Saxmundham, Suffolk. He went as curate to the Rev. Dr. Bernays at Gt. Stanmore, from September, 1867, to April, 1868. In September, 1868, he served as curate to the Rev. Richard F. L. Blunt, Vicar of Scarborough, and there he remained until 1873, when he was presented to the living of Filey, Yorkshire, by Mrs. Brooke, of Gateforth House, Selby. He continued to work there until January, 1880, when he was preferred to St. John's, Bilton in Harrogate, entering on his ministry there on Sunday, January 18th, 2nd Sunday after Epiphany. Here he remained until 1883, when his health having failed, he was compelled to resign it. He preached his last sermon there on October 21, 1883, and left directly after, spending that winter in Bournemouth, and in March, 1884, by advice, he travelled

in Sicily and Italy accompanied by his wife, returning to Royat in May, to try a course of the waters there. He spent that summer at Bex, in Switzerland, where he was joined by all his five children. He did not however regain his health as had been hoped for, and they returned to England in September, when after a few weeks in London, he went to Torquay for the winter. The climate suited him though not his family, and he was able to take occasional duty while there. He left Torquay in March, 1885. took a house at St. Leonards and resided there. He



Woodd.

came down into Yorkshire for a short time in August and preached once more at Bilton on August 9th. He again visited Scarborough and Filey. He spent that winter at St. Leonards, his health however not improving. On April 8th, 1886, he went up to London for a Magnetic treatment under Dr. Bayne's advice, and stayed at his house in Brook St. Here he took a severe chill on Saturday the 10th, from the effects of which he never recovered, but after a few days of much suffering he

gradually sank, and died on Friday, April 16th. He was buried at Bilton, April 21, according to his express wish to rest in his own last parish. He left a widow and six children, two sons and four daughters. His eldest child, a daughter, had died at Bilton, on April 2, 1882, aged 14.

A large concourse of persons assembled at Bilton Church to pay their last tribute of respect to the late vicar of Bilton, on the occasion of his interment in the burial ground adjoining the church. The deceased gentleman during the time he was the head of the parish, won the respect and esteem of all with whom he came in contact. As a preacher, his sermons were always intensely spiritual and practical, and his discourses, both in and out of the pulpit, were characterised by a warmth of expression that ever made him an acceptable speaker. The interest he took in matters directly concerning the parish will long remain fresh and green in the memories of those with whom he was associated, and his wise counsel and genial spirit will be greatly missed. During his term of office at Bilton, the services in the Church were largely attended, not only by the immediate parishioners, but by others who resided in more remote parts of the town. Unobtrusiveness was a marked trait in his character; he coveted not the highest position, but the position in which he could be the most useful, and to sum up the qualities which the deceased possessed, we can truly reiterate the sentiments of another when we say that "he was a good man." A great blow fell upon the deceased and his family when his eldest daughter was laid to rest in Bilton Churchyard, six years ago, and being in delicate health at the time, it was a blow from the effects of which he never wholly recovered. Considerable sympathy was manifested with the deceased gentleman and his family in the sore trial, and this in a great measure tended to buoy up his spirits and enable him to prosecute the arduous duties of his office, until failing health compelled him to relinquish the work. It was with considerable difficulty that he was persuaded to leave the place where he had toiled so assiduously, and around which hovered so many treasured associations, but, however, increasing failure in health necessitated his travelling to the south, and this he was reluctantly compelled to do. After a life of unqualified usefulness—though perhaps shortened by the energy and constancy which he displayed in the discharge of his duties—he breathed his last in London on the 16th of April, at the comparatively early age of 43 years. The deceased was the eldest son of Mr. Basil T. Woodd, late M.P., of Conyngham Hall, Knaresborough.

BOYCE, BOYES.—Since my last query about Joanna Boyce, wife of Rev. Peter Prudden, I have learned from two sources

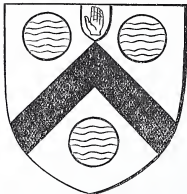
that Edston is the place referred to in her will, [she being then a Mrs. Bishop,] and that it, with Southfield [in the parish of Kirkdale] are contiguous to Kirby Moorside, and Mr. Henry J. Prudden, of New Haven, U.S.A., found that the family did not reside there, but at Halifax, and that the parents were Rev. John and Joanna Boyce of the latter place. This may lead to a further identification of the parties immediately connected with Mrs. Boyce-Prudden-Bishop.

E. N. SHEPPARD.

Jersey City, U. S. A.

DR. PAUL CARRINGTON, from whom our Virginia branch descended, married Miss Henningham Codrington, by whom he had six sons and one daughter; he died in the island of Barbados in the early part of the 18th century. He, or the one from whom he descended, emigrated we think, directly from Yorkshire, to that Island. Some of his offspring went from Barbados to England and have descendants now living in the latter. We wish to trace Dr. Paul's descent back to the Yorkshire branch which were seated in the latter about 1580, and wish to open correspondence with any one interested.

P. R. CARRINGTON, Richmond, Va., U. S. of N. A.



Arms of Sykes, Bart., E.R.Y.

MR. WILLIAM SYKES, of Leeds, Solicitor, who died 30 August, 1887, aged 75, leaving a widow, a son, and two daughters, deserves to have his name recorded as a collector of pedigrees—of Leeds families chiefly. He descended from a stock long resident at Bretton West, whose pedigree of numerous branches was compiled and privately printed a few years ago by a name sake and cousin german, Mr. William Sykes, F.S.A., now of Mexbrough.

John Sykes, M.D.



BISHOP ROBINSON.—Will any reader of "Yorkshire Notes and Queries," trace me the pedigree of the family of John Robinson, Bishop of London; likewise that of his brother's family, Christopher Robinson. Richard Robinson, Bishop of Armagh, contemporary with Bishop Robinson, of London, was he brother to Bishop Robinson, of London?

H. D.

Wellington Lodge, Shoreham, Sussex.

PEREGRINE PELHAM, M.P.—Sir William Pelham, Knt., Justice of Ireland and Master of the Ordnance to Queen Elizabeth,—who by his first wife was ancestor of the Pelhams of Brokelsby, co. Lincoln; by his second wife, Dorothy, dau. of Anthony Catesby, of Whiston, and widow of Sir Robert Dormer, to whom he was married about 1576,—had a son Peregrine. By his will dated June 27, 1586, Sir William bequeathed to this son, "two parts of his manor of Wickham and two parts of his lands lying in Acrehouse, Nettleton, Rothewell, Normanby, &c., in co. Lincoln." It cannot be doubted but that this Peregrine Pelham was afterwards the Regicide. He was returned to the Long Parliament for Hull in 1641, and took an active part in all the proceedings of the Parliamentary Party, being one of the King's Judges who signed the warrant for execution. He died before 1652, and after the Restoration was one of the dead Regicides excepted out of the Act of Oblivion. What more is known of him? I believe he was an Alderman of Hull. Did he leave issue? W. D. PINK. [See "Hull Letters": T. T. Wildridge.]

BRIAN STAPLETON, Esq., temp. Charles I. What is the date of decease of Bryan Stapylton of Myton, the father of Sir Henry Stapylton, 1st Bart. (so created in 1660); and was he the 'Brian Stapleton, Esq.,' returned M.P. for Aldborough *circa* Sept., 1645, in the place of Sir Robert Strickland disabled. If not, who was the latter gentleman? I think he was one of the members excluded by Col. Pride in Dec., 1648, and he seems to have died before the Restoration.

W. D. PINK.

Leigh, Lancashire.

PRIME.—See Advertisement on Cover. Any notes on the family will be welcome for next issue.

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Baron Monckton.

The Right Hon. George Edmund Milnes Monckton Arundell, M.A., 7th Viscount Galway and Baron Killard in the Kingdom of Ireland, has recently been created a Peer of the United Kingdom in honour of the Jubilee of our most Gracious Sovereign Lady Queen Victoria, and his Lordship has elected to take the title of Baron Monckton and consequently is elevated to a seat in the House of Lords. Baron Monckton is a Conservative in politics, and has sat in the House of Commons as a member of the Conservative party.

His Lordship is the only issue of the marriage of the late Right Hon. George Edward Arundell Monckton, M.P., 6th Viscount Galway, and the Right Hon. Henrietta Eliza, the Dowager Viscountess Galway, the only daughter of the late Robert Pemberton Milnes, Esq., of Fryston Hall, Yorkshire, and was born on the 18th November, 1844, succeeded 6th Feb., 1876, and married on the 24 July, 1879, to Vere, only dau. of the late Ellis Gosling, Esq., of Busbridge Hall, Surrey, by whom he has (1) Hon. Violet Frances, born 14 May, 1880. (2) Hon. Geo. Vere Arundel, born 24 March, 1882.

The elevation to the Upper House is a very suitable one in as much as his Lordship (as will be seen from the accompanying pedigree) is descended in a direct line from Edward III. through the marriage of his lineal ancestor William Monckton, Esquire, of Cavil, with Ann, daughter of Sir Robert Aske, Knight. Moreover his Lordship is traced through royal blood by the marriage of his ancestor the 1st Lord Galway, with Lady Elizabeth Manners, daughter of John, Duke of Rutland, who was lineally descended from Anne Plantagenet, sister to Edward IV., and wife of Thomas St. Leger, Knight, and many other instances can be shown where Baron Monckton's descent is traced through illustrious families claiming royal descent, and the Baron's family have been connected with an English county, viz: Yorkshire, from the remotest period, for if we take Burke's Peerage as an authority, his Lordship claims lineage from one Simon Monckton, living previous to 1326, and holding property in Monckton, co. York, but of course in this brief sketch to deal with the long line of his Lordship's illustrious ancestors (many of whom have held prominent places in the annals of our country, and their merits have found just marks of respect from our historians of bygone ages,) is impossible. The Court Rolls of the Manor of Wakefield shew an uninterrupted title of property holden of that Manor from the year 1654, by his Lordship's ancestors. The Moncktons have also been large landed proprietors at several places in Yorkshire, especially in Pontefract, where we find one Robert Monckton, Esq., stood for that borough in 1698, and, on 16 Dec., 10th William III., 1698, presented a petition to the House of Commons setting forth that he was duly chosen a burgess to serve in Parliament for that borough and ought to have been returned as such, but by corrupt and illegal methods John Bright, Esquire, procured himself to be returned in wrong to the petitioner and praying relief therein; the said petition was referred to the Committee of Privileges and Elections, and they reported that the right of election was agreed to be in such persons as had an Inheritance or Freehold of Burgage Tenure within the said borough, and that there was upon the poll for Mr. Bright 72, for Mr. Monckton 70, and after hearing the voluminous evidence pro and con

and the House being subsequently moved, it divided thereon, with the result that for the election of Mr. Bright were 143, against 157, and the election of Mr. Bright was negatived and a new writ was made out accordingly.

Baron Monckton's late father was a son of the Right Hon. William George, 5th Viscount Galway, and the Right Hon. Catherine Elizabeth, Viscountess Galway, and was born at Nether Knutsford, Cheshire, on the 1st March, 1805, where his baptism is thus recorded—"Birth 1st March, Baptism 21st March, 1805. Monckton, George Edward Arundel, son of the Honorable William George Monckton and Catherine Eliza his wife, of Nether Knutsford." He married on the 25th April, 1838, his cousin, the Viscountess before named, and died 6 Feb., 1876. The Dowager Viscountess Galway, the Baron's mother, is a sister of The Right Hon. Richard Monckton Milnes, Baron Houghton, D.C.L., M.A., F.R.S.; in the peerage of the United Kingdom; of Fryston Hall aforesaid, and descended from an English Family claiming considerable eminence in the county of Derby in the reign of Elizabeth where they held large estates.

Baron Galway's Grandfather was married at Nether Knutsford, Cheshire, and his marriage is thus recorded: "William George Monckton, of Harworth, in the county of York, and Catherine Eliza Handfield, of the parish of Knutsford, were married in this church by License duly obtained, this 4th day June, 1804"; and the remaining issue of his marriage were baptised at Harworth, York, as follow:

Charles Augustus, s. of Hon. William George and Catherine Elizabeth Monckton, of Ranby cottage, in the parish of Bubworth, born 11 May, 1806, bap. July 15th, 1806, at Serlby Hall, in the parish of Harworth.

Augustus William, s. of Hon. William George and Catherine Monckton, (no residence mentioned,) born 8 April, 1808, bap. 10 May, 1808.

Edmund Gambier, s. of Hon. William George and Catherine Monckton, of Cuckney, born 21 Dec., 1809, bap. 26 March, 1810.

Frederick Smyth, s. of Hon. William George and Catherine Elizabeth Monckton, (no residence mentioned,) born 31 May, 1811, bap. 13 July, 1811.

Cecilia Elizabeth, d. of Hon. William George and Catherine Elizabeth Monckton, (no residence mentioned,) born (no date,) bap. 9 Dec., 1812.

Horace Manners, s. of William George M. Arundel, Visct. Galway, and Catherine Elizabeth, of Serlby, born (no date,) bap. 12 June, 1824.

Caroline Isabella, d. of William George M. Arundel, Visct. Galway, and Catherine Elizabeth, of Serlby Hall, born (no date,) bap. 12 April, 1831.

Marriage same place.

25th March, 1856. Thomas John Monson, bachelor, clerk, of Kirby Fleetham, son of the Hon. and Rev. Thomas Monson, clerk, to Caroline Isabella Monckton, spinster, daughter of the Right Hon. William George Monckton Arundell, Viscount Galway, of Serlby.

Burials at Walcot.

Frederick Smyth Monckton, 10, Kensington Place, June 5, 1861, age 50.

* Catherine Elizabeth, Viscountess Galway, 15, Marlboro Place, Bath, April 15, 1862, age 78.

Burials at Felkirk.

William George Monckton Arundell, Viscount Galway, Serlby Hall, Notts., Feb. 8, 1834, age 52.

Charles Augustus Monckton, late of the Island of Corfu, a Captain in the 88th Regiment of Foot, died on the 9th August, 1831, a bachelor and intestate, leaving his father his heir at law, and administration to his estate and effects was granted to his father in May, 1832, and administration de bonis non was granted to his estate 8 June, 1848.

Augustus William Monckton, a Commander in her Majesty's Navy, died at sea in the month of January, 1833, a bachelor and intestate, and administration to his estate was granted to his father in Oct., 1833, and administration de bonis non was granted to his estate 8 June, 1848.

William George Arundell, Viscount Galway, died on the 2nd Feb., 1834, intestate as to real estate and the Baron's father was his heir at law. This Viscount presented to the King's most excellent Majesty King George IV. a petition to drop the title of Arundell before Galway in consequence of his father having barred the entails and remainder created by the recited Will and Codicil of Lady Frances Arundell, sister of John, Duke of Rutland, and widow of Richard Arundell, only brother of John, late Lord Arundell, of Trerise, dated 15 Oct., 1764, and 18 June, 1767, And the estate having been disposed of by the petitioner's late father; but to continue the use of the surname of Arundell after the family name of Monckton and to bear the Arms of Arundell quarterly with those of Monckton, Arundell in the first quarter

By Articles of Agreement dated in June, 1808, between Rachel Milnes, of Fryston, near Ferry Bridge, York, widow and relict of Richard Slater Milnes, late of the same place, Esq., deceased, of the first part; Robert Pemberton Milnes, of Fryston aforesaid, Esq., (eldest son and heir at law of the said Richard

* Her Ladyship was baptised at Ilfracombe on 18th Oct., 1763, as "Cath. Elizab., daughter of Geo. and Eliz. "Handfield," and described on the Register of her death as "widow of William George, Viscount Galway," and that she died from natural decay on 7th April, 1862.

Slater Milnes by the said Rachel late his wife,) of the second part; the Right Hon. Robert Arundell, Viscount Galway, of the third part; the Hon. Henrietta Maria Monckton, second daughter of the said Robert Arundell, Viscount Galway by the Right Hon. Elizabeth, late Viscountess Galway, deceased, formerly Elizabeth Mathew, spinster, of the fourth part; Richard Rodes Milnes, of Fryston aforesaid, second son of the said Richard Slater Milnes by the said Rachel late his wife; John Thornton, of Norwood, Surrey, Esq.; the Hon. William George Monckton, eldest son and heir apparent of the said Robert Arundell, Viscount Galway, by the said Elizabeth, late Viscountess Galway, his late wife, deceased, and George Mathew, of Upper Seymour Street, St. Marylebone, Middlesex, Esq., of the 5th part; the following facts are recited—

That there was issue of the said Robert Arundell, Viscount Galway, by the said Elizabeth, Viscountess Galway, besides the said William George Monckton and Henrietta Maria Monckton several other children all of whom excepting four had departed this life.

That there was not any issue of the said Robert, Viscount Galway, by Bridget, Viscountess Galway.

That under the last Will and Testament of Mary Mathew, late of Weymouth St., London, deceased, late sister of the said Elizabeth, late Viscountess Galway, the said Henrietta Maria Monckton was entitled to a share thereunder.

That a marriage was intended to be shortly had and solemnised between the said Robert Pemberton Milnes and Henrietta Maria Monckton.

PONTEFRACT.—Pontefract Park, with the lands there called Vicar Close formerly part thereof, within the Honor of Pontefract, parcel of His late Majesty's Duchy of Lancaster, County York, with the mines, veins of coal, claypits, messuages, &c., with the appurtenances thereto belonging, were by the then King's Majesty's Indenture of Lease, under the seal of his Duchy of Lancaster, dated 25th March, 1778, granted and demised unto the Earl of Besborough and John Fountayne, trustees appointed by the last will and testament of John, Lord Viscount Galway, in the kingdom of Ireland, to hold to them, their heirs, executors and assigns, for 31 years at a rent of £5 for first 3 years and then £80 per annum for remainder of said term, payable at the Feasts of St. Michael the Archangel, and the annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary; which premises, with the abutments and boundaries thereof, did appear by a survey taken thereof by virtue of a commissin issued under the seal of the said Duchy, dated 2nd Sept., 1765, directed to Richard Smith, of Ashbourne, Coun. Derby, Surveyor, by him returned into the office of the Clerk of the Council of the said Duchy, thereby remaining on record. A certain portion of the said

park and lands so demised as aforesaid, containing 325 acres, was under an Act of Parliament passed in the 20th year of the reign of King George III., entitled—"An Act for dividing the park of Pontefract, &c.," set apart and severed by fences for the use of the inhabitants of the township of Pontefract and Tan-shelf, in discharge of their right of commonage and pasturage over the residue of the said lands. The residue of the said lands were, since the passing of the said Act, divided and laid into several farms. The Right Honorable Jane, Viscountess Dowager Galway, the widow and relict of the said John, Lord Viscount Galway, was entitled under her late husband's Will to the rents and profits of the said demised premises for life. By deed poll dated the 12th June, 1787, the said Earl of Besborough and John Fountayne surrendered into the hand of the King's Majesty Geo. III., all such parts of the said premises as remained vested in them after the passing of the said Act, with the appurtenances estate interest deeds, &c., that the same remain absolutely vested in his Majesty, and to be at his disposal.

To be continued.

H. W. ALDRED.



CLAPHAM.—In a pedigree given in *Old Yorkshire*, Vol. III., George Clapham, father of Sir Christopher, is set down as eldest son of Gresham Clapham by Ann Fisher. Several other children are mentioned besides Francis, who was baptized at Leeds in 1586. General John Clapham, of Banbury note, is there given as brother of William, who married Joan Seargill, and four sisters are mentioned:—Thomasine, who married Thomas Nesfield, Agnes, who



married — Redman, Anne married J. Bosville, and Elizabeth married Thomas Methley. Further notes and corrections will be acceptable.

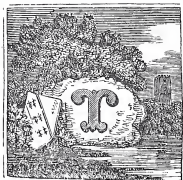
In Whitaker's *Craven* we have a few notes on the family, and he refers to Thoresby's pedigree of the Claphams, under Cottingley, near Leeds, where they occasionally resided. Whitaker states that they sprung from Clapham, or Clapdale Castle, near Ingleborough, which I am more ready to receive than the statement in the sheet pedigree that Arthur Clapham "founded Clapham." I fear it would be very difficult to prove that the said Arthur—the anti-Norman—ever existed, and his descent from the French King reads like a fiction, such as were coined in Tudor times. Dodsworth states that "John Clapham, ye last of Clapdale, past ytt [Beamsley] to William Clapham, of Beamsley, father of George. In Glover's "Visitation of Yorkshire," 1584-5, and in Dugdale's Visitation, 1665, the pedigree is recorded. The arms proved were, Argent on a bend azure, six fleurs-de-lis, or, 2, 2, 2; with five quarterings; and the crest, a lion rampant sable, holding a sword argent, hilt and pomel, or. Whitaker records the tradition that the Claphams were buried upright in a chantry vault at Bolton Priory, and under a copy of a fictitious pedigree adds the significant words—This out-Lamberts Lambert!

Your correspondent had better verify the middle portion of the pedigree, and altogether discard the early portion. A few days at the Record Office, London, would disabuse his mind.

VERIT.

In the Clapham Pedigree which appears in the April Number of "Yorkshire Notes and Queries," John Arthur Clapham marries in 1871, Martha Ann, daughter of Benjamin Ferrand, Esq., "who claimed to spring from the Ferrands, of St. Ives." The Ferrand pedigree shows no such connection, and I feel sure it is a mistake.

B.



The East Riding Claphams, according to Poulson, also claim to be descended from Pharamond, King of France!! They settled at Burton Pidsea about 1693. They bore arms: Upon a bend, six fleurs-de-lis, 2, 2, 2.

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According to *Le Neve's Knights* (Harl. Soc., p. 67) the first and second sons of Gresham Clapham, of Beamsley, were George Clapham and Sir Sheffield Clapham. The former by
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his wife Martha, dau. of Reginald Heber, of Marton, was father of Sir Christopher Clapham, Knight. Sir Sheffield Clapham was knighted at Plymouth in 1625, and left an only daughter and heiress, Anne, the wife of Thomas Assheton, Esq. His nephew, Sir Christopher, who was seated at Uffington, County Lincoln, was knighted at Whitehall, 8th June, 1660. He was M.P. for Stamford in 1659, and for Appleby in the Convention of 1660. Sir Christopher's eldest son, Sheffield, was living in 1665, being then aged 36, but he appears to have predeceased his father, his eldest son Christopher being heir and administrator to his grandfather. The latter who was living in London in 1705, married Eleanor, daughter of Claydon Jolly, of West Deeping, county Lincoln, but left no surviving issue. His widow married secondly, in 1712, another Christopher Clapham, her first husband's cousin, and only son of Christopher, second son of Sir Christopher Clapham, before named. She survived also her second husband, and apparently all her children, dying on the 25th October, 1748, aged 76, and was buried in Westminster Abbey. (Vide "Westminster Abbey Register.")

W. D. PINK.

MORRALL, MORRELL.—Mr. M. T. Morrall, Balmoral House, Matlock Bank, has been collecting genealogical notes respecting his family name from various sources and counties, and we understand that Mr. W. Wilberforce Morrell, of York, will shortly issue these notes, in pamphlet form. All spellings of the name are included, as Muryl, Moraly, Merrell, Morehall. Three forms are found in Yorkshire, though not plentifully. In 1617, the name of William Morrill, of "Fittlings," Yorkshire, appears as a recusant, when he was fined for absence from church. "York Depositions."



Rev. J. P. Chown.

Joseph Parbery Chown was born at Kingsthorpe, near Northampton, in December, 1821. He was the eldest of four children, and lost his mother when twelve years old. At the village day-school he was noted for his powerful memory. He attended the Baptist chapel from infancy, and was baptized in the little river near Kingsthorpe, May 23, 1841, and soon after began to act as a local preacher. About 1844, he became pastor of Ravensthorpe Baptist Chapel at £40 a



REV. J. P. CHOWN.

year, and was ordained in July, 1845, but, in order to qualify himself more fully, he resigned, and entered Horton College, Bradford, in September, 1846, under Dr. Acworth and the Rev. F. Clowes. He was an omnivorous reader, and made great progress, being able to retain nearly all he read. To high and exact scholarship, he never made pretensions, but he had a native sagacity that enabled him to lay hold on the best thoughts of others, and to discriminate between the showy and the substantial. On July 8, 1848, the congregation of Sion Baptist Chapel, Bradford, gave him a cordial invitation to become their minister, which he accepted. He laboured on most industriously, and the church grew to be a great power in the town. At the annual County Association Meetings of the denomination he became a ruling factor, outlines of his sermons and addresses being printed in the reports. In 1852, he published a discourse entitled—"Australia and the Church of Christ," and also a sermon "To Sunday School Teachers." His lecture on "William Carey," delivered in 1858, at the Exeter Hall Lectures, London, has had an extensive circulation. On May 12th, 1863, a presentation was made to him by his congregation of his portrait, &c. In October, 1863, an off-shoot church (at Hallfield) was established. In 1865, the public of Bradford decided to present him (on his return from America,) with his residence, which cost £900, and £100 in cash. The number of members at his chapel doubled during his first seven years service, and Chown of Bradford, was in requisition at all local and provincial religious events, whilst his reputation in London was gaining year by year. He was very systematic, and always ready in ample time for every public engagement. He was a noted orator, but never trusted to his own fluency. Every sermon, almost every address, was written beforehand, and committed to memory by a few perusals. He generally began his Sunday's work before breakfast on the previous Monday. In this way he secured time for an amount of pastoral visitation almost unparalleled. Often hundreds were present at the weekly prayer meetings, so attractive he made them, and so much personal influence he brought to bear on his people.

A slip, when some mischievous young men tricked him, led him to become a decided abstainer and temperance advocate. In July, 1868, he declined an invitation to become a pastor in Melbourne, Australia. In February, 1870, a new chapel was proposed, when Mr. Chown announced that he would be responsible for raising £1000. The foundation stone was laid August 1, 1871, and the opening commenced August 12, 1873, and finished in October, when the Rev. C. H. Spurgeon preached in St. George's Hall, October 8th. As the whole of the money required for the chapel had been subscribed, the

collections after Mr. Spurgeon's sermons, amounting to £250 were equally divided between Stockwell Orphanage and Bradford Fever Hospital. When Sion Chapel, Bridge Street, was demolished, permission was granted by the Home Secretary to have the bodies removed from the grave-yard to Undercliffe Cemetery, where a monument, dated September, 1873, may be seen, recording the removal.

In April, 1875, Mr. Chown decided to accept an invitation to the pastorate of Bloomsbury, London. The Mayor of Bradford, on behalf of the townspeople, presented him with £1000, as an acknowledgment of his usefulness and estimable character. A little memorial volume, entitled "Sermons by the Rev. J. P. Chown, including his Farewell to Bradford, with Brief Sketch of his Life," from J. S. Wright's shorthand notes, was published by Thomas Brear, 1875. (George Harrison, pp. 70.) Some of the sermons he preached at the Rawdon College, and Yorkshire Baptist Union Anniversaries were fully reported. In 1871 he was Chairman of that Union, and in 1883 he served as President of the Baptist Union of England. At Bloomsbury Chapel he was very popular, and his lectures there and at Exeter Hall were highly appreciated. Enfeebled health compelled him to resign the ministry in 1885, and on July 4th, 1886, he painlessly expired. Dr. Angus delivered the address at the Funeral, and the Memorial Sermons (printed in *The Baptist*, July 23, 1886,) were delivered in Bloomsbury Chapel by the Revs. Charles Williams and Dr. John Clifford; and a brief Memoir by Dr. S. G. Green, late of Rawdon, appeared in the *Baptist Handbook* for 1887. Many of our dates we have taken from "Sion Jubilee Chapel. The Church Covenant, with Historical Notes." Bradford, M. Field, 1883. 36 pages. The portrait accompanying our sketch is regarded as an excellent likeness. T.

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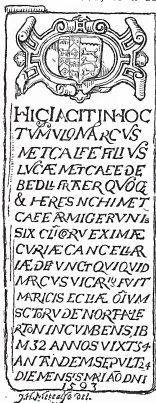
TWO YORKSHIRE MONUMENTAL SLABS.

I.—REV. MARK METCALFE, 1593.

Records in stone—especially when, as in this case, the material is well-nigh imperishable—are both valuable and interesting. Such records become positively precious when they supply internal evidence of an historical and chronological nature; their very existence testifies to their genuineness, for the minutest archaic trace cannot escape the lynx eye of the antiquarian. Antient monumental inscriptions, unlike faded records on parchment, are "graven with a pen of iron on the rock for ever." The Metcalfe slab is a singularly fine specimen of the sixteenth century, bearing date 1593. The material is of Portland limestone, well preserved, the raised surface of the coat of arms above the inscription only slightly defaced,

although the slab must have been removed many times since it was originally laid down. The lettering is clearly and deeply cut, and the surface of the stone smooth enough to edge a razor. Altogether it is well worth a careful examination by every archæologist. It is the oldest monumental slab in the stately and venerable Church of Northallerton, in the North Riding of Yorkshire, and as an antient relic is justly prized and protected. The stone formerly covered the remains of the Rev. Mark Metcalfe, A.M., the thirtieth Vicar of Northallerton, and was probably removed from its original position in the chancel in 1779, to a secluded corner in the south transept

beneath the great window of Bishop Neville, where it remained until 1880, when it was removed to its present standing position beneath the Early English Window in the north transept. Herewith is a sketch of the slab. Arms—shield, quarterly, one and four, three calves for *Metcalfe*; two and three, a chevron between three quatrefoils pierced for *Roughton*, impaling *Tomlinson*, of Gateshead, co. Durham. The inscription, which is not difficult to decipher, is as follows—
 "Hic jacet in hoc tumulo Marcus Metcalfe, filius Lucæ Metcalfe de Bedale, frater quoque et hæres Nicolai Metcalfe, armigeri unius sex clericorum eximæ curiæ cancellariæ defuncti. Qui quidem marcus vicarius fuit matricis ecclesiæ Omnium Sanctorum de Northallerton, incumbens ibidem xxxii. annos. Vixit lrv ann. tandem sepultus xxiv die mensis Maii, anno Domini 1593."



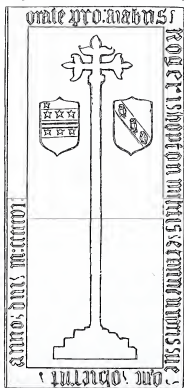
The above is almost the only record extant. Glover, in his Visitation says—Mark Metcalfe, of Bellerby, Vicar of Northallerton, was the fourth son of Luke Metcalfe, of Bedale, by his wife Katherine, second daughter of Robert Jackson, of Bedale, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Anthony Tomlinson, of Gateshead, in the County of Durham, gent., by whom he had issue, Maria, aged eight years in 1585; Martha 7; and Magdalen. The registers of baptisms, marriages, and burials preserved in the parish Church date from the incumbency of Mark Metcalfe, in 1593, and it was during his vicariate also, that the historical Porch House was built by his

kinsman Richard Metcalfe, the great-great grandson of Thomas Metcalfe, of Nappa, in Wensleydale, Chancellor of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster, and a Privy Counsellor in the reign of Richard III. No family of importance has been more identified with the history of Northallerton than that of the Metcalfes. (For further particulars respecting this family and its branches, see the "History and Annals of Northallerton," by the Rev. J. L. Saywell, F.R.H.S. *J. Vasey, Northallerton.*")

II.—SIR ROGER HOPTON, KNT., 1506.

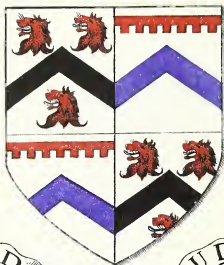
At present this remarkably fine slab of hard grey sandstone lies in a very unfortunate position in the south aisle gangway of Ackworth Church. Since its discovery beneath the seats now allotted to the occupiers of Ackworth Park, when the Church was restored (?) in 1852, it has been exposed to the constant wear of footsteps, and is rapidly becoming obliterated; nevertheless it is still in very fair preservation, and if it could only be removed to a standing position, and protected in some

way from rough usage, this very valuable and interesting stone record might escape the fate which now threatens it, and the county retain a most important historical and genealogical link.* The following is a sketch of this interesting relic—



In the centre is a large floriated Cross, flanked by the Arms of Hopton and Savile, the whole surrounded by the following inscription in elongated Old English characters—
 "Orate pro animabus, Rogeri Hoptonis, militis, et Annæ uxoris suæ, qui obierunt, Anno Domini 1506." It is the oldest tombstone in Ackworth Church. Coat of Arms, *Hopton*—two bars, each charged with three mullets, in dexter chief a mullet for difference. *Savile*—on a bend three owls. The name Roger is common in the Hopton family. This Roger was probably the same, who, in 1492, was nominated by William

*The appointment of Government Commissioners or Inspectors for the investigation and protection of ancient monuments is highly desirable.—
 J. L. S.



JOHN CHRISTOPHER CAIN ROUTH.

ARMS: QUARTERLY: I. AND IV. ROUTH;
II. AND III., SWILLINGTON.

CRESTS: I., II., AND III., ROUTH.

Scargill as trustee of a charity founded by the latter at Rothwell, and, who, in 3 Henry VII. (1487), was gentleman usher of the King's chamber.*

J. L. SAYWELL, F.R.H.S.

Slight Sketch of the History of the Ancient Family of Routh. †

In the time of William the Conqueror, (in A.D. 1080), Wizo, a vassal of Drogo de Beorere, held the Manor of Rute, (alias Ruda, alias Routh), and divers lands, &c. in Hornesse in Holderness, in the County of York; and lands in Strouston, County Lincoln. His son Amandus de Ruda, (alias Routh), Lord of the Manor of Routh, was seised of lands in Hornesse, in Holderness, and in Strouston, County Lincoln, and was with King Henry I. in Normandy, in the year A.D. 1119, having taken part with the King against his brother Robert, Duke of Normandy. His son Simon fil Amandus de Routh, Lord of the Manor of Routh, &c., was at the Battle of Northallerton (the Battle of the Standard), 3 Steph., A.D. 1138, in the retinue of Gilbert fil Walter de Gant. His son, William fil Simon de Rude (alias Routh), Lord of Routh Manor, &c., temp. Hen. 2nd. went on a pilgrimage to Jerusalem, from which he never returned. His eldest son Sir William de Routh, Knt., (called William fil William de Ruda, and William de Ruda "Secundus"), Lord of Routh Manor, &c., joined the Crusaders, and went into the Holy Land with Richard "Cœur de Lion," and was at the battle of Ossonf, 7th Sept., 1191; after which he returned to England, and was living at Routh in the time of king John and king Hen. 3rd.; he was buried in Routh Church in A.D. 1240 (24 Hen. 3rd.), where his effigy still remains. His eldest son Sir Amandus de Routh, Knt., (called Amandus fil William de Ruda, Militis and Dominus Amandus de Routh), Lord of Routh Manor, &c., in 25 Hen. 3rd., accompanied the Earl of Albemarle (of the De Fortibus family) and others into the Holy Land, afterwards returned to England. Here we come to the branching off of the "Wensleydale branch" of the family. The above Sir Amandus de Routh married Agnes, sister and co-heir to John de Oketon, Lord of Oketon Manor, and had four sons; the eldest of these sons Sir John de Routh, Knt., Lord of Routh Manor, &c., was in the Scottish Wars temp. Ed. I. and Ed. 2nd., and was slain at the Battle of Bannockburne in A.D. 1314, leaving two sons, having married Alice, daughter of Sir Herbert de St. Quintin, Knt. This Sir John de Routh's branch

* Additional information respecting Mark Metcalfe and Roger Hopton is desired.—J.L.S.

† Routh Arms, frontispiece to part 12. Routh (1, 4), Swillington (2, 3).

of the family continued in the male line to live and hold property at Routh till the time of King Henry VIII., when the heiress of that branch, (Elizabeth, daughter of Brian Routh, of Routh,) married Sir John Cutts (or Cutt or Chutt), Treasurer of the Household to K. Henry VIII.; this (Routh) branch of the Cutts family becoming extinct on the death of Sir John Cutts, 1st and last Baronet, who was created a Baronet June 21st, 1660, (12th Charles I.) and died unmarried. As it would make the sketch of the Routh family too long to give the pedigree of the eldest or Routh branch above referred to, and of the Routh branch of the Cutts family in detail, (the pedigree of both of which branches General Plantagenet-Harrison has traced out with great thoroughness); we will now go back to another, possibly the youngest of the sons of the above Sir Amandus de Routh, Thomas fil Amandus de Routh, who married Johanna, daughter of Simon de Wassand, was one of the Jurymen at the Inq. p.m. of John Ross, of Kingburgh, taken at Swyne in Holderness, in 12th Ed. 2nd, and was the founder of the "Wensleydale branch" of the family. He had two sons, the elder of whom Sir William de Routh, Knt., was appointed by Queen Philippa 13th March, 15th Ed. 3rd. to the bailiwick of all her franchises in the County of York, and of the hundreds of Aggebrigge, Morle, Barkestone, and Skyrack, and confirmed therein by the king 3 May, 17 Ed. 3rd. Sir William was Bailiff of the liberty of Richmondshire, Co. York, in 22 Ed. 3rd, he claimed against Adam Metcalfe, of Baynbrigge, and William Giyir of Routh, for a reasonable account whilst they were his receivers of moneys; he was chief of array in the Wapentake, 33 Ed. 3rd, and he claimed damages against divers persons for depasturing their cattle on his lands in Thornton Watlus in 41 and 43 Ed. 3rd. He married Johanna, dau. of Adam, 2nd Baron Everyingham, summoned to Parliament at Shrewsbury 30th Sept., 1283, (11 Ed. 1st.) see Close Rolls for that year, and one of the co-heiresses to the ancient Barony of Everingham, of which Lord Herries, of Everingham Park, Co. York, descended in the female line from one of the co-heiresses, descended from the 3rd Baron, brother of Johanna de Routh, née de Everyingham is the senior co-heir. By her Sir William had two sons, the elder of whom, Sir Peter de Routh, Chivaler of Baynbrigge in Wensleydale, had letters patent from the king, tested 5th Oct. 17 Ed. 3rd., (A.D. 1344), setting forth that "on the 13th March last past for the good services which our faithful Vallettus Peter de Routh has performed for us and Philippa Queen of England, our dear Consort; by our letters patent we granted to the said Peter de Routh, the custody of the Gate of our Castle of Carlisle, to hold for the term of his life;" and afterwards he had the king's license in the 19th Ed. 3rd., to exchange the

said office with Thomas le Wer, for the office of Keeper of the Pond off Lambrith in Holderness; he was subsequently appointed Chief Forester of Knaresburgh. In 18 Ed. 3rd. (A.D. 1345,) then being Chief Forester of Wensleydale, he purchased land in Askrigg, co. York. He had a grant from the king, 17 July, 22nd Ed. 3rd. of the custody of the Castle of Sandale, with the parks thereto adjoining, and the foreign woods of Wakefield, also of the parks and chaces of Arryndene, Souresbishire and Holmfrith; and he was then Keeper of the Door of the Queen's Chamber. In 31st Ed. 3rd. he was Usher of the Queen's Chamber. On 21 June, 47th Ed. 3rd. as Chief Forester of Knaresburgh, he had the king's order to deliver to Ralph de Wyclyff one fat buck. In 49th and 50th. Ed. 3rd. he claimed against John, Duke of Brittany and Earl of Richmond, and John Hetty, for disseising him out of his free tenement in Baynbrigg and Thornton Rust, namely of the Bailiwick of the forest of Wensleydale with the appurtenances, and of his wages for the same of £10 yearly, out of the Manor of Baynbrigg, and recovered seisin thereof as against the said John Hetty, with damages £10, but was in contempt for a false claim against the Duke. He bore for his coat armour: "Argent, a chevron sable, between three lions' heads erased, gules." Crests: 1st (apparently before 1345,) a lion's head, or," and 2 "a Talbot's head argent, out of a mural crown, gules." Sir Peter married Elizabeth de Swillington, only daughter of Adam, 3rd Baron Swillington, who was summoned to Parliament from 20th Ed. 2nd, 1326, to 6 Ed. 3rd. inclusive, and who thus took part along with the fifty-six other members of the Upper House, which there is good reason for believing, formed the whole of the parliament of A.D. 1326-27, in the deposition of K. Edward 2nd, and the settling of K. Edward 3rd in his stead, having previously in A.D. 1322, joined Thomas, Earl of Lancaster, in his rebellion against the Despencers and the King, and having fought and been taken prisoner along with that ill-fated Earl at the Battle of Boroughbridge, A.D. 1322, though, fortunately for him, he got off with a fine of 1,000 marks, and whose grandfather, Robert, 1st Baron Swillington, had been summoned to Parliament, August 23rd, Ed. 1., A.D. 1295. This Elizabeth had two brothers, whose descendants were all extinct in November A.D. 1430, when the right to the ancient Peerage of Swillington devolved upon William Routh of Baynbrigg, her grandson (of whom presently.) The fact of this William Routh claiming and obtaining the lands belonging to the Swillington family, whilst leaving the Peerage unclaimed, is sufficiently accounted for by the consideration that it was only in the reign of James I. after A.D. 1603, that it was decided by the Committee of Privileges of the House of Lords that a writ of summons confers an hereditary Peerage on the descendants in

the eldest line of a person summoned to the Upper House of Parliament by it, and taking his seat in obedience to the summons, and that peerage is descendible to "heirs general" (*i.e.* female as well as male,) the right to it not being limited to heirs male, as in the case of peerages created by patent. Sir Peter de Routh's only son, Sir Thomas de Routh, had an annuity from king Richard 2nd.; for in 8 Rich. 2nd, the king by his letters patent orders the Receiver of Yorkshire to pay to Monsieur Thomas de Routh the arrears of his annuity. He was Chivaler in 3 Hen. 4th, A.D. 1402. He was seized of divers lands in Askrigg, Baynbrigg, Hawes, Routh Park, Gale, &c., in Wensleydale; and of the Manor of Little Burton upon Yore, and of divers lands in Mashamshire. By patent tested 2nd Sept. 1st Hen. 5th, the king granted to the said Sir Thomas de Routh, Knt., 10 marks yearly out of the Lordship of Knaresburgh for life. In 3rd Hen. 5th, Oct. 25th, A.D. 1415, he was with the king at the Battle of Agincourt. He died 6th Hen. 6th, A.D. 1428. Sir Thomas left three sons, the eldest of whom William Routh, Esq., of Baynbrigge, by inquisition taken at York before Nicholas Blackburne, Mayor, the king's escheator for the city of York, on the 8th November, 8th Hen. 6th, A.D. 1430, and by another Inquisition taken at Pontefract before the king's escheator for the county of York, on Tuesday next after the Feast of All Saints, 8th Hen. 6th, post mortem Margaret, who was the wife of Sir John Gea, knt., and who died on the 7th Sept., 8th Hen. 6th, was found to be the next of kin and heir to Lady Margaret Gea, namely son and heir of Thomas, son and heir of Elizabeth, sister of Robert de Swillington, father of Roger, father of said Margaret; and in the same year being then forty years and upwards, he claimed and afterwards recovered seisin of the Manor of Swillington, Thorpe Perrowe and Rodes in the county of York, against William fil William fil Adam de Swillington, when it was proved that the said William fil Adam de Swillington, defendant's father, was a bastard. In 26th Hen. 6th, A.D. 1448, he sold, conjointly with Isabella his wife, the Manor of Thorpe Perrow, with the appurtenances, to Christopher Conyers, Esq., of Hornby. Also he most probably sold the manor and lands of Swillington to a Conyers, of Hornby. In 21 Hen. 6th, A.D. 1443, he claimed against John Flesshever, of Baynbrigg, for taking plaintiff's goods at Baynbrigg, value £40; and also he was plaintiff in a plea of debt against the said John. He was living aged seventy years in 1 Ed. 4th, A.D. 1460-1, after which he is lost sight of. He left apparently, only two sons; the elder of whom was Richard Routh, of Baynbrigg and East Hawes. This Richard Routh had most probably as many as six sons, one of whom died in the lifetime of his father without issue: of the surviving sons, Brian Routh of Baynbrigge, the

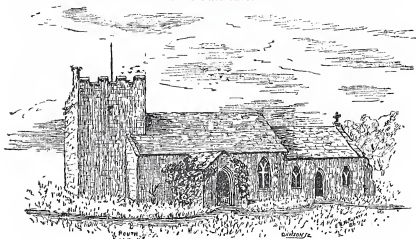
eldest, was seised of lands in Baynbrigge, Routh Park, Askrigg, Aisgarth and Middleham, was a man-at-arms in the French wars, temp. Hen. 6th, and died about 4th Hen. 7th, A.D. 1489. He left two sons; the elder of whom, William Routh of Hawes, was seised of lands in Baynbrig, Routh Park, Hawes, &c.; was a mounted archer with Lord Scrope at the Battle of Flodden, A.D. 1513, and married Agnes, daughter of Oswald Metcalfe, of Nappa, co. York. He was living as late as the 20th Hen. 8th, A.D. 1529, and had apparently, as many as six sons; of these, General Plantagenet Harrison maintains that John Routh of Gayle, in Hawes, in Wensleydale, who was a billman, horsed and harnessed at the muster at Middleham, 26th Hen. 8th, and who paid subsidy in A.D. 1543, 1544 and 1546, was the eldest, and from this John Routh of Gayle he traces the descent in the eldest male line of the late Agnes Routh, who died February 1st, 1886, wife of the Rev. John Oswald Routh, M.A., and daughter of the late Christopher Routh, of Gayle, the mother of John Christopher Cain Routh, of Wood Hall, Aysgarth, and of Clints House, Gayle, near Hawes, presumed Lord Swillington, living unmarried February 6th, 1888. For, owing to the fact that General Plantagenet Harrison takes this view of the case, at which he only arrived after a prolonged and laborious research, in the course of which he searched through an almost innumerable number of documents of various kinds, whilst looking for those relating to the family of Routh, he considers the above-mentioned John Christopher Cain Routh to be presumed heir of the ancient Barony of Swillington, dating from A.D. 1295. In fact, so convinced is the General of the accuracy of his conclusions in the matter, that in May, 1885, he submitted for enrolment in the Court of Chancery by the Master of the Rolls, a pedigree, vouched for as being compiled by himself from the Public Records and other authentic evidences under his genealogical "nom de plume" of James Phillippe, showing the descent of the above-mentioned John Christopher Cain Routh, on both his father's and mother's sides from the Lords Everyngham and Swillington, in which he described the late Mrs. Routh, J. C. C. Routh's mother, who was then alive, as presumed heiress of the Barony of Swillington, of Swillington, co. York. This pedigree remained before Lord Esher, the Master of the Rolls, Lord Romilly, the Clerk of Enrolment; the late Sir D. Hardy, then Deputy Keeper of the Public Records; Sir Albert Woods, Garter King of Arms; and Mr. G. B. Rashleigh, Secretary to the Master of the Rolls; for some eight or nine days, when finally Mr. G. Rashleigh, the Master of the Rolls Secretary, wrote on May 21st, /85, to James Phillippe, Esq., to say that he was directed by his Lordship to convey to Mr. Phillippe his opinion, "that a pedigree drawn up (as was the pedigree in

question) by a skilled person, employed by a private individual is, however skilful in fact, a mere private document, without any public authenticity, and is therefore a document which ought not to be enrolled amongst the Public Records," and that the Master of the Rolls could not therefore accede to Mr. Phillippe's request. Of the remaining sons of William Routh of Hawes, General Plantagenet Harrison believes Christopher Routh, of Baynbrigge, to have been the 3rd, and from him he traces the Rouths of Appersett, near Hawes, from whom the late Agnes Routh above referred to, was descended in the female line, (her grandfather Thomas Routh of Gayle, having married Agnes, daughter of John Routh of Appersett,) and from whom her husband, the Rev. John Oswald Routh, M.A., of Wood Hall, Aysgarth, is descended in the male line, his great-grandfather, John Routh of Gayle, having been the younger son of Oswald Routh, of Appersett, who died in A.D. 1701.

It may be added that the branches of the Routh family, from which the well-known Doctor, J. M. Routh, Esq., M.D., of 52, Montague Square, London, and the late Centenarian President of Magdalen College, Oxford, Dr. Martin Joseph Routh, and their respective connections, derive their descent respectively, have probably sprung some 300 or 400 years ago from the "Wensleydale branch" of the Rouths. As to the other families of Routh at present settled in Wensleydale and its neighbourhood, they of course have sprung from some branch or other of the "Wensleydale branch" of the Rouths; though of these, the only family which is related to that of J. C. C. Routh, of Wood Hall, is that of Oswald Forster Routh, Esq., of Willow House, near Hawes; whose elder and younger sons, (the Rev. Cuthbert Routh, of Giggleswick, near Settle, and the Rev. William Routh, Head-master of Bedale Grammar School,) are second cousins of the above J. C. C. Routh. Perhaps it may not be uninteresting to add that the Everynghams, (from whom the Wensleydale Rouths are descended), were descendants of Charlemagne, and also of William the Conqueror; through the Thwenges, Bruces of Skelton, De Lancasters, and Earls de Warren, (the first Earl of Warren having married Gundred, 5th daughter of William the Conqueror, and the second Earl of Warren having married Isabella, heiress of the Count of Vemandois, who were descended (through Pepin king of Italy) from the Emperor Charlemagne. It is proposed to insert a history of the Rouths in Gen. Plantagenet Harrison's *History of Yorkshire*. Vol. 2.

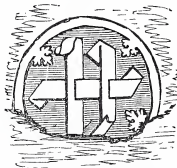
Routh, four miles from Beverley, on the Bridlington Road, is about as quiet a spot as the East Riding affords. My son and I reached it on Easter Sunday, 1886, and being too late to join in the morning service, we basked ourselves in the

sunshine until the congregation dispersed. Perhaps a dozen persons were present—all told—at this Easter service. Our sketch of the church tells its own tale.



Entering the church we saw the shattered effigy of the knight, dating back some six centuries, and the brasses of Sir John Routh and his wife Agnes, who died about 1410. They wear collars of SS. The ancient octagonal font bears a blank shield on each of its basin faces. It stands 5 ft. 4 in., by 3 ft. 7 in.

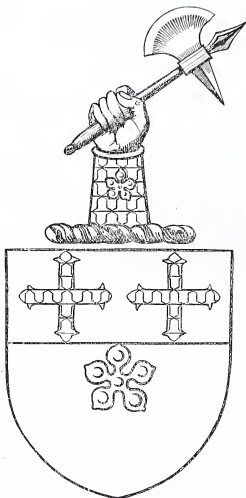
The accompanying sketch represents a fragment of stained glass there. The east window is modern, erected in memory of John Stephenson, born 1823, who, according to report, rose from the station of a groom to comparative wealth, but came to an untimely end. Like many other Yorkshiremen he was an ardent racer. The church, ascribed to "All Hallow," is small, but quite adequate; Lord Lonsborough is patron. The Rectors are, as they ought to be in this delightful district, long-lived. The Rev. Charles Hill, 1827-1865; the Rev. G. C. Pease, 1865, are recent cases.



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An inscription, given by Poulson, ORATA PRO A—has disappeared.

Ed.



Ferrand.*

The family of Ferrand were for several hundred years, beginning with the Norman era, Officers of the Lords of the Honour of Skipton; and the two crosses flory vair on their shield were derived from the cross on the bearing of their feudal chief, William de Fortibus, Earl of Albermarle, and possessor of Skipton Castle.

Of the descendants of this family, three branches have entered their arms and pedigrees in the Heralds Visitations, namely:

The branch now represented by William Ferrand, Esquire, of St. Ives, Co. Ebor.

The branch, whose heiress in the last century married the Rev. Joshua Waddington, and from whom are descended Dr. Waddington, Dean of Durham, and Monsieur Waddington, now Am-

bassador from France to the Court of St. James's.

And the branch whose descendants will now be given at more length.

Roger Ferrand, whose name is the first that is recorded in the Confirmation of Arms to his descendant William Ferrand, of Carleton, in 1586, married Isabell, daughter and sole heiress of William Dawtrine,† of Carleton, Co. Ebor, by whom he had issue Robert Ferrand, of Skipton, mentioned in the Confirmation of Arms, who left a son—

* Corrections and Additions to the Ferrand Pedigree in "Ikley Ancient and Modern."

† The Alta Ripas who were an ancient and wealthy family, afterwards bore the name of Dawtreys or Dawtrines.—See "Burke's Landed Gentry," 1st Edition, Vol. 4, pp. 10, 11.

William Ferrand, of Skipton, in Craven, one of the Executors of Henry, 2nd Earl of Cumberland, (the said Earl died in 1569, consequently this William Ferrand must have been then living) who married a daughter of Mr. Tempest, of Yellison,* a younger brother of the family of Broughton, in Craven, and left a son,

Christopher Ferrand, of Skipton, in Craven, married to Jane, daughter of John Dale, of Carlton, and by her had issue,

William Ferrand, of Skipton within Craven, in ye Countye of Yorke, Gentleman, who built Carleton Hall, 1584, and to whom, upon the request of Francis Clifford, afterwards 4th Earl of Cumberland, made in consideration of the "fidelity and good service of himself and all his ancestors to our house, ever since our possession of Skipton Castle for this 800 years,"† the coat of arms borne by the family was confirmed (20 March, 1586.) He married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Blenkinsop, of Helbeck, in Com. Westmorland. He died 1601, and administration was granted to his Relict Elizabeth, by whom he had issue two sons:

1.—Thomas Ferrand, of Carleton in Craven, living in 1612, married 1st, Mary, daughter of Edmund Dudley, of Yanwith, in the Com. Westmorland, and 2ndly, Blanch, daughter of Edmund Townley, of Royle in Com. Lancaster. By his first wife he had issue:

Edmund Ferrand, æt. 14 A.D. 1612, when the pedigree of Ferrand of Carleton, was entered at the Heralds' Visitation of Yorkshire. He married Mary, daughter of Thomas Wentworth, Esquire, Bencher of Line. Inn, and had by her,

1. Thomas Ferrand, killed at the battle of Preston, in the service of king Charles I.
2. Edmund Ferrand, who with his father sold the Carleton estate in 1651, to one Thomas Parkinson.‡ He married Anne, daughter of Francis Malham, of Elslack, Esquire, but died without issue.

Thomas Ferrand, by his second wife, had issue:

1. Brian Ferrand, of whom afterwards,
2. William Ferrand died an infant.
1. Elizabeth Ferrand, ye wife of John Foufeld, of Bolton in ye Moores, in Com. Lanc.
2. Mary Ferrand, wife of George Matinscroft, of Manchester, Com. Lanc.
3. Blanch, wife unto Hugh Currer, of Kildwick, in Com. Ebor.

Brian Ferrand (eldest son of Thomas Ferrand), of Flasby in Craven, in Com. Ebor. æt. 42 ann. 17 Aug. A.D. 1665,

* Harl. MSS. 4630. † Whit. Craven, pa. 347. ‡ Harl. MSS., 4630.

married Jane, daughter of Thomas Wayte, of Barnoldswick, in Co. Ebor., and had by her,

Thomas Ferrand, æt. 11 ann. 17 Aug. 1665, in which year the pedigree of Ferrand, of Flasby, was entered at the Heralds' Visitation of Yorkshire.

Catherine Ferrand.

2. William Ferrand (second son of William Ferrand and Elizabeth Blenkinsop), of Westhall [in Ilkley] in Co. Ebor., married Anne, daughter of Anthony Thomlinson, of Gargrave, in Co. Ebor., and left a son,

Thomas Ferrand, of Westhall, æt. 63 ann. 15 Aug. 1665, he married Agnes, daughter of Martin Flathers, of Leathley, in Co. Ebor., and had by her,

1. William Ferrand, of whom afterwards,
2. Thomas Ferrand, æt. 27 ann., A.D. 1665.
3. John Ferrand, 21 ann., A.D. 1665.

1. Anne Ferrand, wife of Francis Swayne, a Barrister-at-Law, now residing at York.

2. Frances Ferrand.

3. Eleanor Ferrand.

William Ferrand (eldest son of Thomas Ferrand), æt. 30 ann. 15 Aug. 1665, married Eleanor, daughter of Joscelin Percy, of Beverley, Co. Ebor. and heiress of her brothers Alan and Charles Percy, direct descendants of Henry Percy, 4th Earl of Northumberland, and has issue.*



GIBBIE, &c.—It is said that the family of Gibbie, or as it is sometimes spelt Gavie, Gabby, Gabay and Gabie—which is principally located in Ayrshire—came to Scotland from Yorkshire. I have not however been able to prove the truth of the tradition, nor indeed to find any of that name in England, but would be glad if any reader of "Yorkshire Notes and Queries" could refer me to any occurrence of the name in Yorkshire.

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* See Brydges' Collins Peerage, pp. 301-4, also Harl. MSS. 4630, and Parker MSS. at Broughsholme.



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